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EAN DIVISION.

Feb 1 State, Monday
Feb 5 Columbia, Saturday
Feb 10 Oregon, Thursday
Feb 15 State, Tuesday
Feb 20 Columbia, Sunday
Feb 25 Oregon, Friday
March 1 State, Wednesday

to change steamers or sailing

RAIL DIVISION

connecting with Atlantic Express, Portland, daily at 7:30 P M, arrives at Portland daily at 6:30 A M.
Passenger Trains run daily, connection for points on N P R R. Pullman Palace Cars between Portland and St. Paul. Through Emigrant Sleeping Cars without change, carried between Helena, Montana, the daily Atlantic Express Train. Through time between Portland.

COLUMBIA RIVER DIVISION.
Y, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
Bound for Dalles at 7 A M

Mo	Tu	Wed	Th	Fr
6 AM	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM
7 AM	—	7 AM	—	7 AM
6 AM	—	—	6 AM	—
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BRIDGE DIVISION—EAST SIDE.
PORTLAND and WEST STAYTON, & C. R. R. to Woodburn.
Stayton leave Portland at 7:30 A M, Tuesdays and Fridays.
(via Lebanon Junction) leave Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

WEST SIDE.
PORTLAND, SHERIDAN AND AIRLIE & C. R. R. to Whites at 8:30 A. M. Returning, leave Airlie 6 A M.

Points on Narrow Gauge Division forwarded by the O. & C. R. R., divisions respectively.

Gen. Frt. and Pass. Agt.
JOHN MUIR, Sup't of Traffic, St. Paul.
E. P. ROGERS, Gen Agent Pass. Dept.
A. D. CHARLTON, [illegible]
MAXWELL, Ticket Agent.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

WESTERN DIVISIONS

PACIFIC DIVISION
at 10:30 A. M. Arrive at New Tacoma at 7 A. M. Arrive at Kalama

Connections.
with Sound steamers.
the O & C V railroad.
O R & N. Co.'s boats

ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION.
Junction at 9:00 A. M. Arrive at Spokane Falls at 7:05 P. M.
Spokane Falls at 5:30 A. M., and Wallula Junction

Connection
with O. R. & N. Co.
and from Portland
Gen. Mgr. New Tacoma
Sup't of Traffic St. Paul, Minn.
Gen.Agent, Pass. Dep't, Portland

Oregon and California R. R.
(Transcontinental Company) Lessee.
Dec. 2, 1883, trains will run as follows
DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAYS.)

East Side Division.
PORTLAND and GRANT'S PASS

Mail Train

		ARRIVE
7:30 A.M.	Grant's Pass	
10:30 P.M.	Portland	

Albany Express Train

		ARRIVE
4:00 P.M.	Lebanon	
9:00 A.M.	Portland	

Oregon and California Railroad connection with all the regular trains on Division.

Westside Division.
PORTLAND and CORVALLIS

Mail Train

		ARRIVE
9:00 A.M.	Corvallis	
8:40 A.M.	Portland	

Express Train

		ARRIVE
5:00 P.M.	McMinnville	
8:45 A.M.	Portland	

[illegible] made at Grants Pass with the Oregon Stage Company, to all the principal points in California, at Company's office.

and Front Sts., Portland, Or.

[illegible] be received for shipment after [illegible] either the East or Westside Division.

JOHN MUIR,
Sup't of Traffic.
E. P. ROGERS,
Gen Agt Pass. Dept.

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THE EAST.

[illegible]AGO,

[illegible]WAUKEE

AND

[illegible]T. PAUL

RAILWAY

[illegible]NNECTION WITH THE

[illegible]RN PACIFIC

—AND—

UNION PACIFIC R[illegible]

IS THE

[illegible]RT LINE

[illegible] POINTS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST CAGO and all points in the East. It is the only line running Sleeping Cars between ST. PAUL via Milwaukee.
[illegible] under one management between [illegible]cago and owns three separate [illegible] between these points, thus giving [illegible] three routes, passing through the [illegible] and picturesque sections of Minnesota [illegible] and Illinois. It runs the [illegible] world and no effort is spared [illegible] of its passengers. No change of cars [illegible] ST PAUL AND CHICAGO [illegible] Changes made in [illegible] AND OMAHA. [illegible] tickets read via Chicago, Milwaukee [illegible] way and secure the advantages.

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[illegible]RT LINE

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A. V. H. CARPENTER, Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt.
[illegible]XON Gen. N. W. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, M[illegible]
MARSHALL, Trav. Pass. Agent, [illegible] Washington st. Portland, Oregon.

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[illegible] NERVE AND BRAIN T[illegible], a specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of power, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhœa caused by over-exertion of the brain, self-abuse or over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. $1.00 a box, or six boxes for $5.00, sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

[illegible]ANTEE SIX BOXES

With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with $5.00, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by
[illegible]ARD, CLARK & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
PORTLAND, OREGON,
[illegible] will receive prompt attention.

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[illegible]TAIC BELT and other Electric Appliances are sent on 30 Days' Trial to [illegible]OUNG OR OLD who are suffering from Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, [illegible]nesses, and all those diseases of a personal nature, resulting from Abuses and Other Causes. Speedy relief and complete restoration to Health, Vigor and Manhood guaranteed. Send at once for Illustrated [illegible] Address
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DR. MINTIE, a regular physician, graduate of the University [illegible] will agree to forfeit Five Hundred Dollars for a case [illegible] the VITAL RESTORATIVE [illegible] special advice and treatment [illegible] Price $1 a bottle, or four times the quantity for $5. [illegible] to any address [illegible] Kearney st.
[illegible] and list of questions
[illegible] by one apply [illegible] by letter [illegible] age. Strictly confidential.
[illegible] statistical [illegible] the east.

WASHINGTON.

The House Refuses to Seat Manning of Mississippi.

MORE AID VOTED TO FLOOD SUFFERERS.

The Senate Resumes Consideration of the Bank Circulation Bill—Investigation of the Danville Election Riot.

The Nicaragua Canal Company Not Dead.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Some time back a report was sent through the country by telegraph that the Nicaragua canal enterprise had been abandoned. This statement is denied by gentlemen who are interested in the Nicaragua canal. In the last Congress an effort was made to secure a national charter for the company, but it failed. The company was then incorporated under the laws of Colorado, and since that time negotiations with prominent capitalists have been made and are in progress looking to the construction of the canal by private subscription. It is said there is a good prospect for a successful termination of these negotiations, and if the hopes of the promoters are realized, preliminary work on the isthmus will be begun soon. Concessions made to the company by the Nicaragua government require certain work to be done by the 1st of October. It is expected that this work will be duly performed, assuring concessions to the company for the future. At the beginning of the present session General Rosecrans introduced a bill in the house to incorporate the company and guarantee 3 per cent. interest upon its capital stock for a period of twenty years.

Washington Notes.

Confirmation.—Peter French of New York to be collector of customs for the district of Alaska.

The president has accepted the resignation of John New, assistant secretary of the treasury, to take effect from Friday.

Senator Vance reported favorably to-day from the committee on territories a bill to establish a United States court in Indian territory.

Nominations.—John Coburn of Indiana, associate justice of the supreme court of Montana. Fred C. [illegible] collector of internal revenue for the district of Nevada.

House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.

Holman, from the committee on appropriations, reported a joint resolution making further appropriations of $200,000 for sufferers by the Ohio river floods, which was passed.

After the previous question was ordered, and [illegible] took the floor for the purpose of withdrawing his resolution for recommittal. He wound up the recital of the resolutions which led to the [illegible] with the words: "With Gen. Manning's full consent and approbation I bring him to the speaker's desk and ask that the oath be administered to him on the certificate of the governor of Mississippi." Suiting the action to his words he took Manning by the arm and together they stood at the bar of the house, where Curtin presented him and demanded that he be sworn as a representative on the certificate of the governor of a loyal and lawful state.

The speaker did not think there was any necessity to question the order, because the question was whether or not Mr. Manning was entitled to take the oath of office was the very question which the house was now considering, and on which the house was about to take a vote. The chair would not undertake to administer the oath of office to a person claiming to be a member-elect when the house was considering his right to the seat.

Manning and Curtin thereupon retired to their seats amidst derisive laughter on the republican side, which was increased by the remark: "Be orderly; the down the curtain—the play is over."

The question recurred on substituting the minority resolutions for those of the majority, and a division being demanded, a vote was taken on the first, declaring that Manning holds perfect credentials. It was rejected—yeas 106, nays 140.

The announcement of the vote was received with applause on the republican side.

The second resolution, declaring Manning entitled to the seat, was lost, yeas 81, nays 157.

The majority resolution was then adopted. [illegible]

This discharges the committee on elections from the present case, and leaves the seat vacant until the case is heard upon its merits.

Adjourned until Monday.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.

[illegible] sent to the desk and had read a telegraphic dispatch from Richard Smith of Cincinnati to Representative Jordan saying the secretary of war had done nobly in the matter of relief for sufferers by the floods; that red tape, whose interference had been feared, had been all cut up and thrown away; that the cold weather, though better than the rain, increased the distress; that neither pen nor tongue could describe the suffering, and that Congress must appropriate money with the [illegible] to promote the relief.

[illegible] there were no politics in this matter. Everybody was working for it as a cause of common humanity.

Voorhees said he had similar telegrams. Some of them were read. He said his people had not asked aid last year and had asked aid from Congress; the Indiana legislature was then in session, but could not do so now as the legislature could not be convened in time to take such immediate action as might be necessary.

At 1 o'clock a message was received from the house of representatives announcing that that body had passed a joint resolution to make a further appropriation of $200,000 for the relief of destitute persons in districts overflowed by the Ohio river and its tributaries. It was referred to the committee on appropriations and at 1:40 Allison from that committee reported it favorably. The joint resolution was immediately read three times and passed.

Shortly afterwards a message was received from the house, announcing the affixing of the speaker's signature to the message, whereupon the president pro tem of the senate instantly affixed his own.

Dolph presented a petition from 1100 settlers in Washington territory, praying for protection in regard to their lands in controversy between them and the Northern Pacific Railroad Company.

The senate then resumed consideration of the bill to provide for the issue of circulating notes to national banks.

Plumb addressed the senate at some length. He wished to see the national debt disappear, because its disappearance would be a practical resolvent of many disturbing questions. We could not consider the tariff question of to-day as it ought to be considered, either as an abstract or a practical question, without being met with the necessity for yielding a large sum of money in some way for the payment of the interest and the principal of the public debt. [illegible] national banks would [illegible] if they were to continue it must be absolutely without reference to providing a currency for the country. That function had not been attended with any great profit to the banks, and it was not the most useful function that the banks could exercise. Referring to the function of contracting the currency, [illegible] a volume of currency which should rise and fall with the demands of business, which would give plenty of money in the fall months when crops are to be moved, and would contract in the summer months, that it was not needed, which would from time to time and year to year respond properly to the requirements of the country, with reference to the [illegible], would be a very desirable thing to have, but it was something which the national banking system had never accomplished, for reasons inherent in the system and which would inhere in it so long as it was based on United States bonds.

Plumb then offered an amendment providing that the circulation of any national bank shall be surrendered, the secretary of the treasury shall issue equivalent treasury notes, in denominations now provided by law for national bank notes, such treasury notes to be deposited in the treasury and no other money kept for the discharge of obligations of the government, including duties on imports. They shall be legal tender between national banks, and for all debts due any national bank, and shall be redeemable in coin as legal tender notes of the United States are now, and when received into the treasury shall be re-issued, and when mutilated or torn shall be replaced as now provided by law for legal tender notes. Coin in the treasury on passage of this act for the redemption of legal tender notes to be also applicable for the redemption of such treasury notes, and such coin received may from time to time be increased, at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury, but the total amount of such coin shall never be less than 25 per cent, nor more than 30 per cent. of the total amount of legal tender and treasury notes outstanding.

Call of Florida characterized Plumb's proposition as revolutionizing our whole system of finance.

A vote was then taken on the amendment heretofore submitted by Sherman providing that if any bonds deposited bear interest higher than 3 per cent., national notes be issued equal to one-half of the excess in excess of 3 per cent., accruing before maturity.

The amendment was rejected: 7 yeas to 40 nays.

The chair laid before the senate a communication from the attorney general, explaining the delay in responding to a call for his opinion made by the senate, regarding the adjustment of postmasters' salaries. The matter was received at his office, he says, in August last, while on his vacation. When he returned he gave it close inspection. It was a matter involving a large amount of money and complicated and intricate questions. As he desired to give it careful and deliberate consideration, his opinion, when drawn up, was laid aside for a while to give it more mature consideration. It was finally completed a few weeks ago and sent to the postmaster general the 14th inst.

After an executive session, the senate adjourned until Monday.

THE STAGE.

BOOTH'S POWERS A THING OF THE PAST.

LONDON, Feb 15.—[Special.]—The American critics quite plainly of the subject. The press [illegible] "Macbeth" last night. It is proper [illegible] where Booth has appeared this season [illegible] illustrated that he has grown very careless, and shows a continuous failure of power. One [illegible] witness of a week leaves no doubt that the best [illegible] of his personations and the [illegible] they have [illegible] mechanism, mere recollections of his former [illegible].

ABSORBED AND BE-GHAUDT.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Mrs. Langtry is [illegible] in saying she will not play next week if any [illegible] is made to enforce her appearance in W[illegible] [illegible]. The lady wishes it to be understood [illegible] when she won't, she won't.

[illegible] definitely decided that Bernhardt will travel in America next season, and it is stated with emphasis that she will play in English.

[illegible] upon thousands of bottles of Carboline, a deodorized extract of petroleum, have been sold and from all over the land comes the one universal cry: "Carboline, as now improved and perfected, is the best hair restorer ever used." Sold by druggists.

THE DANVILLE RIOT.

Second Day of the Congressional Investigation—Important Testimony.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—Investigation of the Danville election riots was resumed this morning. [illegible] ward M. Hatcher (white) denied that he assaulted [illegible] ack Buddag on the day of the riot. He saw marks of bullets on buildings in the rear of the white people which must have been fired by negroes.

J. C. Reagan (white) testified that he saw a crowd of angry negroes and went to a hardware store; [illegible] asked for chop axes. He told the clerk they was going to be a knock-down fight. The clerk refused to give them. Witness hunted for them, [illegible] not find any; returned to the scene of the riot, was armed with a pistol.

Senator Sherman—Did you fire on that occasion?

Witness—I don't care to answer that question.

Senator Vance—You are not required to answer that question unless you choose.

Sherman—I put the question to you, did you fire on that occasion?

Witness—I decline answering that question.

Witness refused to say how many times he shot into the crowd that day, thought it necessary for the white people's defense.

R. W. Glass (colored) was called. Said he did not feel safe in telling what he knew about the riot.

Senator Lapham—Why not?

Witness—I live in Danville and have got to go back there.

Witness had heard it said that any negro who testified—

Senator Vance—Oh, we don't want that, Mr. Chairman.

Senator Lapham—I have the right to know the grounds of his fear.

Witness, being reassured, told his story. He heard a pistol fired, rushed to the scene, and found some seventy-five colored men and twenty-five white men, white men and policemen were telling the negroes to leave. The negroes replied "We are not doing anything, why should we leave?" Heard Hatcher say "This is a white man's town, and I am d—d if we don't rule. You are going to get killed if you don't leave." Then the white men drew revolvers. Witness named Hatcher, [illegible] Covington and Oliver, whom he said had pistols. [illegible] gave orders to fire, and they did fire, then the colored men began to leave, and the whites came out of the opera house.

"How many?"

Witness replied that it looked like 100 or 150. They (the whites) went into a hardware store and got pistols; saw pistols twenty-five or thirty of them and a bag of cartridges in a real estate office, where he took refuge, and white people came in and helped themselves, when all the negroes had left; witness heard the whites going about the streets shouting "Hurrah for we democrats." [Laughter.]

"BY FAIR MEANS OR FOUL."

Heard some whites say, "Kill every d——d nigger we can see." Heard Henry Lee make a speech in which he said: "We intend to carry this election by fair means or foul." Heard him say it was to be carried by [illegible] point of the gun. At the time of the riot saw white men riding up with guns, saw white men run home after guns, then saw no colored men.

George A. Lee, who [illegible], saw several pistols in the hands of colored people; believed the first volley was fired into the crowd of negroes, but after the latter began to run a great many shots were fired in the air; saw some eight or ten pistols among the negroes pointed at [illegible] and [illegible]; the negroes [illegible] standing that they came out and show their faces. If the whites had not used their pistols we would have been shot into smithereens, and not only that but our wives and sisters would have been murdered in our houses; yes sir, murdered in our houses. I knew this by threats made two or three days before by their leader.

Senator Sherman—Did you hear that threat?

Witness—I did not hear it.

COLORED VOTERS ASK PROTECTION.

Mathew [illegible] Jordan (white) was called and, in reply to Senator Sherman's questions, described the riot. Witness was a member of the [illegible] [illegible] declined for satisfactory reasons [illegible] [illegible] for protection of himself and family; [illegible] negroes were [illegible] and [illegible].

John Stone (colored) said that colored people generally did not vote on election day. He asked a great many to vote; they refused, saying they were [illegible].

[illegible] Senator Vance, witness [illegible] [illegible] on election day. [illegible]

Senator Sherman asked [illegible]

Witness said [illegible] [illegible] went to the [illegible] [illegible]. A white democrat [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] over with [illegible].

[illegible]

Witness could not in spite of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] remark was that [illegible] leaders [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] these poor negroes. The [illegible] [illegible]. With [illegible] the better [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He was positively [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Witness [illegible] for the safety of the wives of the white [illegible] because the [illegible] heard that on election day [illegible] the white [illegible] were fighting the negroes at the polls that negroes would be murdering their women in their homes.

CONGRESSIONAL CHIT-CHAT.

[illegible] EXPLAINS HIS [illegible] MEDICINE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Mr. Tully [illegible] conversation this afternoon concerning his bill to prohibit the dissemination of [illegible] medicine through the mails, about which there has been considerable interest created on the Pacific coast and elsewhere, explained that in introducing the bill in view of remedy for a well known evil, not intending to injure legitimate patent medicine venders. "I think," said Mr. [illegible], "that everybody will admit, when they examine the question, that the mails are abused in this respect. Perhaps my bill goes too far, and perhaps a better one can be proposed. In either case I am willing to accept some other proposition, if the public good would be subserved by it. The putting a stop to an evil was all I had in view in introducing the bill. I have received a number of letters lately from patent medicine dealers in the east, none of whom are hostile to my bill, but all of whom have different plans to propose. It seems to me these people ought to be informed on this subject. It is generally conceded that the mails are now used improperly. I think it would be better for the people who oppose my bill to suggest some other plan instead of criticizing me and attributing improper motives."

THE COMMITTEE ON PACIFIC RAILROADS.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Mr. Cassidy, chairman of the house committee on Pacific railroads, says there is no doubt that his committee will make a favorable report on Anderson's bill amending the Thurman act. [illegible] sinking fund bill. This bill requires that each of the corporations affected by the Thurman act shall pay into the treasury annually, in addition to the requirements of the Thurman act, a sum which shall make the total annual payment equal to one-tenth of the whole [illegible] [illegible] principal and interest due or that may become due to the United States by said company, and in failure to do this the attorney general is required to begin proceedings for the appointment of a receiver, who shall operate all the road until the above provision is complied with.

Mr. Cassidy says the same committee will make a favorable report on the bill requiring land grant railroads in the west to list all lands [illegible] [illegible] them to taxation by the states in which they are located.

To-day this committee will consider Sumner's bill fixing maximum rates of fare and freight on the Central and Union Pacific railways. Mr. Sumner will be heard in advocacy of the bill.

DISTRIBUTION OF GOVERNMENT RELIEF.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—Secretary Lincoln was before the house committee on appropriations this morning, while that committee was preparing the joint resolution subsequently passed by the house making an additional appropriation of $200,000 for the relief of sufferers from the flood. Secretary Lincoln said he thought the appropriation asked for (that making a total of $500,000) would be sufficient for several days. He has ordered a boat with supplies to be sent from Parkersburg, West Virginia. There will be seven boats on the river between Pittsburg and Cairo distributing clothing and provisions. General Sexton, U. S. A., telegraphs from Louisville that the relief steamer Mattie Hayes left there this morning with 75,000 rations for points below. She proceeds as far as Shawneetown. General Sexton says he is informed there is great distress in small towns above Louisville, on both sides of the river, and asked authority to charter a steamer and purchase supplies for relief. The secretary telegraphed authority for him to proceed as suggested. A telegram from Captain Cushing, U. S. A., at [illegible], says he engaged the steamer Kate Stockdale and loaded her with provisions and clothing and started out.

OUR BELLICOSE ROSECRANS.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—[Special.]—It has been learned that the democratic caucus was not so harmonious as has been claimed. Chairman Rosecrans was unable to secure room for a caucus at all, but a sufficient number of congressmen wanted one to make it necessary to call it. General Rosecrans was not anxious for one, but feared a change. Blackburn proposed the name of Holman, and it seemed that he would be chosen, when a Texas representative sprang to his feet. He paid a high tribute to the Indiana candidate, but said that there was another man, a dear friend of Holman, whom we all love and respect, who has given grey during years of service to the party, that man ought to be made chairman. He then nominated Rosecrans and he was duly elected. Rosecrans is regarded by many members of his party as too straight-laced [illegible] [illegible] conscientious to be chairman during the presidential campaign.

THE ADMINISTRATION WEAK IN THE SENATE.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 15.—Special.—The Press's Washington special: The administration is no longer commanding a majority in the senate. Whenever [illegible] Republicans and [illegible] unite [illegible] they are [illegible] especially [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] appointments coming up for confirmation. It has never been so before. Persons familiar with the [illegible] history of [illegible] appointments [illegible] hard hit [illegible] has been struck. In this [illegible] the administration strength in the senate does not exceed twelve.

AGAINST LOTTERY COMPANIES.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—The house committee on postoffices and postroads has agreed to report favorably the bill amending the sections of the revised statutes authorizing the postmaster general to stop delivery of registered mail or money orders to fraudulent lottery companies, by striking out the word fraudulent, thus including all lottery companies in its provisions.

THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—The house committee on commerce has concluded consideration of the first section of Reagan's bill to regulate interstate commerce, and has decided to embody it in the proposed interstate commerce bill.

THE FLOODS.

Ten Persons Killed at Cincinnati by a Falling Building.

PITIFUL SCENES IN FLOODED DISTRICTS.

The Work of Relief Goes Bravely On—But Thousands are Necessarily Suffering—Details from all Points.

CINCINNATI, Feb 15.—The river is [illegible] falling. It is [illegible] and [illegible]. The river [illegible] all the way down, varying [illegible] so up the river the weather [illegible].

TEN [illegible] KILLED BY A FALLING BUILDING.

CINCINNATI, Feb 15.—At [illegible] this morning the [illegible] storm [illegible] sounded for the fire at [illegible] where the water surrounded houses. When the engines reached the place it was discovered that the rear part of a brick building on [illegible] Pearl near Ludlow had fallen, and that ten persons were buried in the ruins or drowned. The occupants of the front part had given the alarm which [illegible] in conjunction with the [illegible] used superhuman efforts to rescue the living. [illegible] The bodies were [illegible] and [illegible], and had twenty to thirty [illegible]. [illegible] were [illegible]. Four members of a family named Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Conlee, Mary Ellis, Lydia [illegible], [illegible] Kyle and [illegible] known [illegible] crushed or [illegible]. Mrs. Wohlgan, an occupant of a room in the part that fell, was awakened by the cracking of the walls and tried to waken the others, but failed, and escaped without injury.

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, Feb 15.—Inquiry [illegible] that [illegible] morning were [illegible] [illegible] George [illegible] There were about thirty-five people in the building at the time. [illegible] [illegible] known have been killed [illegible] [illegible] the proprietor, [illegible] Mary Ellis, James G[illegible], [illegible] Winkler, Mrs. Winkler, Thomas Burk [illegible] [illegible] William [illegible] making ten lives so far known to be lost.

The rescued women were conveyed in a patrol wagon to the engine house in the vicinity, where they were made comfortable. Mrs. Kyle's son was [illegible] the ruins [illegible] [illegible] was alive and struggling for his release [illegible] gave him up for lost, and the [illegible] was heartrending.

DESCRIPTION BY ONE OF THE INMATES.

Mrs. Wells, who occupied a room in the part that fell, says at [illegible] o'clock not asleep for the cracking of the walls. She thought fire it was the paper [illegible] by the water, but afterwards supposed it something worse. I got up at last, she said, and awakened Mary Collor and told her we must get out for [illegible] thing was going to happen. I [illegible] the [illegible] was [illegible]. Tried to awaken her. Then I called Mary [illegible] again to hurry. She was sitting up in bed. I was near the door when I felt the house going and [illegible] [illegible] part of it [illegible] Mary. I [illegible] and I do not know how I escaped, but I crawled out and [illegible]."

The accident has spread terror among the occupants of similar old buildings in the flooded district and many who can do so are getting into safe quarters.

The list of increases [illegible] by the [illegible] of [illegible] bodies not hitherto known have been found among the victims.

The river is still falling half an inch at 11 A. M.

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, Feb 15.—The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]

AT SHAWNEETOWN.

SHAWNEETOWN, Ill., Feb 15.—[illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible]. Should the wind rise great damage [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] are [illegible] [illegible]. The relief [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] several days. [illegible] only boats running are the Evansville and Cairo packets. A trip from Evansville here [illegible] [illegible].

The situation at Shawneetown grows more serious hourly. Many [illegible] have [illegible] houses and [illegible] to places of safety. Those remaining are living in second stories. At least two feet more of water is expected, and is badly needed. The same is true at [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] and two or three points below here.

The situation at Shawneetown is quite as bad as has been represented. The entire town is submerged to an average depth of eight feet. The river is steadily rising. Shawneetown has a population of [illegible], not over a quarter of whom it is estimated remain.

Three and a half miles distant at Bowlesville, the coal miners were shut down some time ago and the houses formerly occupied by miners are now used by flood fugitives. In the same neighborhood many are living in tents furnished by the governor of Illinois. Among these latter there is much suffering on account of cold weather. Several cases of extreme distress are reported, but as yet there are no deaths.

[illegible] AT SHAWNEETOWN.

SHAWNEETOWN, Ill., Feb 15.—The river is rising steadily and the town is [illegible] water to the depth of ten to thirty feet. In many places the water is to the top of [illegible] and [illegible]. In some cases only chimneys and roofs mark the location of buildings. The hills surrounding the town are dotted with tents occupied by families driven from their homes. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] an associated press reporter [illegible] thinly clad and barefooted children were seen shivering about tents. Many more families went to the hills to-day, and more will follow [illegible] several houses have been swept from their foundations, but the [illegible] has kept them from floating away. As yet no loss of life is reported, though there have been several narrow escapes. There has been great trouble in maintaining telegraphic communication with the outside world and in getting repairs during the day. [illegible] Many poles have been washed away, and the water is so high around others that the wires have to be removed to trees and house tops. This trouble will likely increase as the river rises.

ALBANY, INDIANA.

ALBANY, Ind., Feb 15.—The cold weather of last night and to-day caused much suffering among those who are poorly sheltered, and it must be [illegible] will be the result. New Albany has accomplished what few other cities along the valley have done, taken care of her sufferers. It is impossible to estimate the extent of the damages until the river recedes and is confined to its banks.

Jeffersonville presents a strange sight by moonlight, with the mad waters of the Ohio rushing with wonderful force through the streets almost equal in velocity to the current in the middle of the river and waves lashing the houses, a great many of which are toppling over. The scene is beyond description. Very often cries of people calling for boats can be heard. There is a feeling of despair among all citizens. About ninety-nine one-hundredths of the city is under water.

AT MOUNDSVILLE.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., Feb 15.—The Pittsburg press relief boat Iron City arrived here this evening. It stopped at a number of villages between Steubenville and Wheeling, but found people able to care for themselves, except at Wellsburg, West Virginia and Warren, Jefferson county, Ohio, where great distress prevailed, and donations were given liberally. It left nothing at Wheeling. About 500 people are suffering there, but the city is determined to take care of its own. Between Wheeling and Moundsville the devastation is terrible—much worse than from Wheeling to Pittsburg. The greatest financial loss is that of the Ohio river railroad. For 100 miles the track and roadbed have almost entirely disappeared, and the bridges are all swept away.

AT LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, Feb 15.—The river is at a standstill. This morning the steamer Mattie Hayes, chartered by the government and in charge of Major Barker, started down the river laden with $2,500 worth of supplies and [illegible] consisting of meat, bread, potatoes, beans, [illegible] coffee, etc. Colonel [illegible] of Louisville accompanied the relief expedition as far as Shawneetown. [illegible] There is a great deal more damage done this year by water than last, as the river is nearly two feet higher. People are moving out of their houses on Third and Fourth streets. The water is now into the second and third stories of a great many houses, which are in danger of toppling over.

THE PRESS RELIEF BOAT.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Feb 15.—The press relief boat Iron City touched at New Cumberland, W. Va., at [illegible] this morning, the first stop on the trip. The answer [illegible] that the people were washed out and many had not returned to their homes. A local relief committee had been organized and no aid was asked. At [illegible] House, one mile below, the boat [illegible] to the [illegible] in answer to a signal, but the people only wanted newspapers.

[illegible] PERSONS DROWNED.

PARIS, Ky., Feb 15.—While John Beatty was attempting to convey his wife, three children and two young ladies named Weatherfield across the backwaters near Newburyport on the Tennessee river the skiff was dashed against a tree by the current and upset. Mrs. Beatty, all the children and one of the young ladies were drowned.

RELIEF FROM THE RED CROSS.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—Telegrams from Clara Barton indicate that all orders and societies are actively at work in behalf of flood sufferers. Chicago has sent $4000, and societies in the south $7000. Even Louisiana [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] National [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] Feb [illegible] [illegible] the river is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb [illegible] [illegible] river [illegible] [illegible]. It is still rising [illegible].

AT [illegible]

[illegible] Feb [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and stationary. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Feb [illegible] [illegible] this afternoon [illegible] the First regiment armory [illegible] the Jefferson Barracks band under the auspices of [illegible] for the benefit of the sufferers along the Ohio. [illegible] tickets were [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] will not [illegible].

FOREIGN NEWS.

EGYPT.

FRENCH [illegible] [illegible] CONSTANTINOPLE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Dispatches which have been [illegible] under Baker Pasha and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the great anxiety and alarm with respect to [illegible]. [illegible] has decided to send [illegible] reinforcements to [illegible]. Three Austrian Lloyd's steamers have been chartered for the purpose. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] arriving [illegible] [illegible] military [illegible] and ammunition, and several [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Syrian [illegible] [illegible] have been taken from [illegible] on account of the effervescent condition of the [illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] with a view of securing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 1000 [illegible]. They will be [illegible] at [illegible] in the [illegible] [illegible] an arrangement with [illegible] land for immediate service in the Soudan.

[illegible] FROM [illegible]

CAIRO, Feb 15.—Nubar Pasha, prime minister, has received the following telegram from [illegible]: "I am sending [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] children from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] them."

England has refused General [illegible]'s [illegible] proposal [illegible] [illegible] co-operation [illegible] the Egyptian army in the relief of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] army was raised for the defense of Egypt. [illegible] [illegible] however England [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] at Egyptian battalion furnished with English [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] this proves [illegible].

The expedition for the relief of [illegible] has [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] transport [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] General Graham [illegible] to command the [illegible].

CAIRO, Feb 15.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] making a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] alarm is felt [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Cairo to send [illegible] [illegible].

Their [illegible] killed at [illegible] [illegible] a number [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Berlin correspondent of [illegible] We have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. The Americans are [illegible] proud, too sensitive and too [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] INSULTED.

[illegible] [illegible] There was an exciting [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] great excitement. [illegible] [illegible] the flag [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] finally some English [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the office will be [illegible].

[illegible]

S[illegible], Feb 15.—The principal chiefs [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] situated [illegible] [illegible] from Suakim and decided [illegible] [illegible] Osman Digna, leader of the rebel forces, to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] they will march against him. [illegible] [illegible] have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] troops have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Suakim.

[illegible] AT SUAKIM.

SUAKIM, Feb 15.—Since Admiral Hewett assumed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. The fact that [illegible] are [illegible] at Cairo to transport a large force [illegible] [illegible] and the fact that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the expense [illegible] and more than [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Kassala garrison and open the Berber route.

SUAKIM MENACED BY THE REBELS.

[illegible], Feb 15.—Spies report that the rebels are fully aware the English forces are coming. The rebels are mustering in great force. Osman Digna, who is encamped [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] has proclaimed that he will obtain [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] arrive [illegible] will capture Suakim.

THE PORTE [illegible] [illegible]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 15.—The [illegible] has [illegible] to protest against the abandonment of the Soudan.

ENGLAND.

[illegible] AND [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Feb 15.—The [illegible] [illegible] say the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] England [illegible] in northern Asia. [illegible] Afghanistan [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and that Russia can now guard her [illegible].

THE [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Feb 15.—A deputation [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] this afternoon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] government and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of slavery and the slave trade must be prevented and [illegible] sufficient to control Africa must be secured.

[illegible] LAND COMPANY [illegible]

LONDON, Feb 15.—A company has been formed under the provisions of the Irish land act to purchase estates, relieve certain districts and encourage [illegible] [illegible]. The directors are Bright, M. P. for [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Gray, M. P. for Carlow county, and proprietor of the Dublin Freeman's Journal, and [illegible].

ENGLAND [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] FRANCE.

LONDON, Feb 15.—The Daily [illegible] dispatch from Berlin says that Germany has three times insisted that England should proclaim a protectorate over Egypt, but England appears to be afraid of irritating France.

[illegible] MEETING.

LONDON, Feb 15.—A mass meeting at Guildhall this afternoon, under the auspices of a patriotic society, was attended by 5000 persons.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Feb 15.—The weather is fine. Breadstuffs quiet. Wheat, spring 7s 10d@8s 3d; California, [illegible] Corn, new 5s 2½d; old, 5s [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

LONDON, Feb 15.—Gladstone stated in the house of commons that England would defray all expenses of the British expedition to the Soudan.

LONDON, Feb 15.—In the commons this evening debate on the motion condemning the government's Egyptian policy was adjourned at nine.

It is stated that the most extensive measures are being taken on the east coast of Africa to suppress the [illegible] slave trade.

FRANCE.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

PARIS, Feb 15.—A duel between M. Laguerre and M. [illegible], members of the chamber of deputies, occurred this morning. The former was wounded in the [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] ABSCONDS

PARIS, Feb 15.—The [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

SPAIN.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] WITH AMERICA.

MADRID, Feb 15.—The text of the new [illegible] commercial treaty with the United States [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] tonnage duties on [illegible] vessels sailing from America to Cuba and Porto Rico and abolition of special duty on live stock imported into Cuba are to be submitted to the cortez.

ITALY.

[illegible] [illegible] DISSATISFIED.

ROME, Feb 15.—The pope, commenting on hostilities in Tonquin and the Soudan, exclaimed: "The Church has small cause to thank the great western powers for their services in behalf of religion and civilization. When Africa and Tonquin are pacified we shall be at a point where we were half a century ago."

Lundborg's Perfume, Edenia.
Lundborg's Perfume, Marechal Niel Rose.
Lundborg's Perfume, Alpine Violet.
Lundborg's Perfume, Lily of the Valley.

EASTERN DISPATCHES.

Why Mormon Missionaries Meet With Success in the South.

SENTIMENT ON THE EGYPTIAN QUESTION.

Wendell Phillips' Will—Liberal Bequests to American Humorists—News Items From All Points.

Opinion in Favor of the Credit Mobilier.

[illegible] Feb 15.—An opinion was filed in the United States circuit court to-day by Judge [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] which is practically in favor of the [illegible] as against the trustees under [illegible] and the Union Pacific contract. The [illegible] Oakes Ames and Hazard, administrator [illegible] Thomas [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Oakes Ames and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the trust is acting jointly [illegible] have suffered loss.

Why Mormon Preachers Succeed in the South.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—A Times Charleston, S. C., special, noting the spring exodus [illegible] Mormons from that section, explains the situation as follows: In many counties in North and South Carolina and Georgia there has been ever since the war a strong desire to emigrate. In fact, before the war these people were constantly pushing westward into Alabama, Arkansas and Texas, for over the rest of the territory of the far west. There is scarcely a family which has not representatives in the west. Some of these states Mormon preachers take advantage of this feeling and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as emigration agents than as missionaries. [illegible] [illegible] The fertility of Utah, the beauty [illegible] [illegible] co-operative system and aid which the church [illegible] [illegible] converts are held out while [illegible].

[illegible] Feb 15.—[Special.]—A [illegible] [illegible] Mormon immigrants [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] families are [illegible].

Sentiment on the Egyptian Question.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—Special.—A [illegible].

[illegible] Institute [illegible]

[illegible] will speak with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] legislature amount of [illegible].

Is She Alive or Dead?

[illegible] Feb 15.—Kitty [illegible], a young lady [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] at Warren [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Undertaker [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the cheek and a natural expression of the [illegible] the time.

The body of Miss Gilmer, the young lady taken [illegible] [illegible] at Warren yesterday on [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible] [illegible] at 5 this afternoon by three physicians and pronounced dead. The body was [illegible] [illegible] this evening.

The Lost Scientists.

[illegible] Feb 15.—[Special.]—Professor Draper, of the Central Park observatory, [illegible] Havana have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

An [illegible] from a Peace Society.

[illegible] Feb 15.—[Special.]—At a meeting [illegible] Washburne, Edward M. Davis, Miss [illegible] and Dr. [illegible] Wattis.

Folger's Sugar and Liquor Decision.

[illegible] Feb 15.—[Special.]—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the secretary [illegible] which is held in bond.

Connecticut Senators Instructed.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb 15.—[Special.]—The state senate passed a resolution yesterday instructing Connecticut senators to vote for a Mexican treaty, but amended by a strict party vote so as not to specify any particular treaty. The resolution declares it the duty of the government to protect manufacturing interests by treaty legislation and also protect the mechanics of the country against pauper wages of foreign countries.

Sheridan Interviewed.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Sheridan told a reporter yesterday: "My visit to New York is wholly on personal private business. I have not had time yet. I am not ready to say anything about the army under the new order of things. I have not even a suggestion of news for you. However at all times [illegible] I am always willing to oblige gentlemen of the press."

A Letter from Logan.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb 15.—Special.—A special meeting last night of the Lincoln Club was attended by thirty of the most prominent colored men. A letter was read from General Logan, in which he referred to the rights of colored men as exercised in some of the southern states as a mere farce played at the [illegible] of the greatest drama enacted on the world's stage.

Liberal Bequests to Humorists.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Feb 15.—The will of Colonel Hunt, the millionaire lumber man of Roscommon county, discloses that he has bequeathed $5000 to Caroline Brown, mother of Artemus Ward, and similar amounts to Eli Perkins and Josh Billings. Hunt was a lover of humor and owned an extensive library, made up extensively of humorous literature.

Hill Around the House Work.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—At a meeting of the aqueduct committee yesterday a letter was read from a well known consulting engineer on the Pacific coast, in reference to his employment by the commission. He advised the employment of Eastern engineers. His own time being too much occupied.

Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, Feb 15.—Wheat fairly active and steady at [illegible] for February, 94⅞@95 for March. Corn [illegible] [illegible] for February, 56⅜@⅝ for March. Oats steady but quiet at 33¼ for February, 33⅞@34 for March. Rye dull at 60½. Barley dull at 61½.

Launching a First Iron Ship.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—The new iron ship, [illegible] Bement, 1900 tons, the first that the [illegible] shipyard has built, goes to Philadelphia [illegible] load with railroad iron and material for Portland, Oregon.

Wendell Phillips' Will.

BOSTON, Feb 15.—The will of Wendell Phillips makes no public bequests, his property, of $100,000 value, being devised to his widow and adopted daughter.

The Week's Failures.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—Business failures the last week number [illegible] against 2[illegible] the previous week.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb 15.—The indications for the Pacific coast: partly cloudy weather, with occasional rains.

Consumption may be cured. Ask your druggist and get a free Trial Bottle Dr. King's New Discovery.

PRESIDENTIAL PROBABILITIES.

Arthur's Friends Outbid, Laying Wires for the Chicago Convention.

BUFFALO, Feb 15.—[Special.]—The Express tonight [illegible] the news of startling [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Charles A. Chickering [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] separately at different [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] James D. Warren, chairman of the republican state committee, at which [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] district delegates for Arthur at the coming state republican convention.

FORMATION OF ARTHUR CLUBS.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—The Ledger asserts that Arthur clubs are being [illegible] all over the city. As everybody knows [illegible] the assembling of the convention.

IN CONNECTICUT.

HARTFORD, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Members of the Connecticut legislature have not begun to talk out [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Connecticut will [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in a legitimate manner.

CALIFORNIA DEMOCRATS WANT TILDEN.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—Special.—World's California dispatches are said to be strongly in favor of [illegible] [illegible]. California [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the news that Tilden is not a candidate has not reached that happy and [illegible].

THE MISSISSIPPI OUTRAGES.

First Day of the Investigation at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb 15.—The sub-committee of the senate committee on privileges and elections met in the custom house. Present: Hoar, [illegible], Saulsbury and Jonas. [illegible] [illegible], brother of J. H. Matthews, killed at [illegible], Copiah county, Miss., said he lived there all his life and was a candidate at the election of November 7, considered the [illegible] population as to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] colored people had a small majority; [illegible] [illegible] independents had a small majority in [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] democrats carried the election; [illegible] [illegible] parties canvassed the county [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] some slight disturbance [illegible] clubs were organized [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and mounted [illegible] the Matthews family that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the latter would be [illegible].

THE SHOOTING OF MATTHEWS.

[illegible] three or four [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Hayes for [illegible].

IN WALL STREET.

A Dull Day Among the Bulls and the Bears—Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—Governments steady. In the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Nickel Plate [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and Ohio [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Plate [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] by the Western Union Company.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—The money market was easy at [illegible]. Prime mercantile paper [illegible] [illegible]. Sterling exchange, bankers' bills $4 85¼. [illegible] [illegible] 124¼, [illegible] 12[illegible]. [illegible] American Express [illegible]; Canada Southern [illegible]; Central Pacific [illegible]; C. B. & Q. 126½; Delaware & Lackawanna [illegible]; Denver & Rio Grande [illegible]; St. Joe [illegible]; Erie [illegible]; Kansas & Texas 21¾; Louisville & Nashville [illegible]; Lake Shore [illegible]; Michigan Central [illegible]; N. J. Central [illegible]; Northern Pacific [illegible]; Northwestern [illegible]; O. & M. [illegible]; [illegible] [illegible]; Rock Island [illegible]; St. Paul [illegible]; Texas Pacific [illegible]; Union Pacific [illegible]; [illegible]; Wabash 17; Pacific [illegible]; Canada Pacific [illegible]; [illegible] Central [illegible]; Pacific Mail [illegible]; Panama [illegible]; Western Union [illegible].

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

[illegible] AT [illegible] [illegible].

DEADWOOD, Dak., Feb 15.—Information was received a few days ago that an attempt would be made by cowboys to rescue Jesse Pinder, arrested for horse stealing at Miles City, Montana, and en route for Deadwood, and a posse left Sonor [illegible] [illegible]. Arriving at [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] miles north of Deadwood yesterday the posse was attacked by cowboys, and a man named O'Hara [illegible] and Fred Willard was wounded. One of the cowboys, named Cunningham, was killed, and another, name unknown, was wounded and captured. [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] A party is now organized at Spear Fish to pursue the outlaws.

WHOLESALE SHEEP [illegible].

ST. PAUL, Feb 15.—Minneapolis Journal's [illegible] special: It is reported [illegible] that the Marquis [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] sheep [illegible] [illegible] county [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] sheep in Montana [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the killing [illegible] [illegible] is given.

SHOT DEAD AT HER FIRESIDE.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb 15.—Last night in Green county the wife of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] killed by some one who fired a gun from [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and wife and other members of the family were sitting around the fire at the time. [illegible] is a wealthy farmer and had just received a large amount of money. Two brothers named Moore have been arrested.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] AND [illegible].

CLEVELAND, Feb 15.—A special from Harmar, near Marietta, reports that W. H. Miller was found dead in his house to-day with two bullet holes in his body. His wife and his brother have been arrested for the murder. Rumor says his wife threatened to put him out of the way because she loved his brother. The prisoners denied all knowledge of the crime.

COLORED [illegible] [illegible] HANGED.

PLAQUEMINE, La., Feb 15.—Thomas Benton (colored) was hanged to-day in the presence of 2000 people for the murder of Robert Duggan, July 1881. When the drop fell a moan ran through the crowd and women shrieked and some fainted.

BILLY [illegible] GOES TO PRISON.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Billy McGlory was yesterday taken to Blackwell's Island, where he donned a striped shirt, prison shoes and had his hair cropped. He was put to work in the blacksmith shop.

NOTABLE DEAD.

COLONEL HEZEKIAH WATKINS.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Colonel Hezekiah Watkins of this city died at St. Clair's Springs, Mich., early this week. A few weeks ago he was appointed by the president one of a commission to inspect the condition of the Northern Pacific railroad. While returning home he became seriously ill at St. Clair's Springs and died there.

NO CONFERENCE HELD.

BOSTON, Feb 15.—It is positively asserted by a prominent director of the Oregon Transcontinental company that no conference for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company, or for any other purpose, has been held in Boston.

SPORTING NOTES.

AN EXCITING BILLIARD MATCH.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—[Special.]—In the billiard match last night at Madison Square hall, between [illegible] and [illegible] McLaughlin of Pennsylvania, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] made a run of 3[illegible], [illegible] [illegible], being the largest run [illegible] ever made by [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] McLaughlin, however [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] amid great excitement. His highest run was [illegible], average [illegible]. [illegible] Time: two hours and twenty minutes.

AUSTRIA.

IN THE REICHSRATH.

VIENNA, Feb 15.—The lower house of the Austrian reichsrath has passed an exceptional law [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] by a vote of 177 to 1[illegible].

GREECE.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

ATHENS, Feb 15.—Brigands captured the [illegible] and [illegible] of Monastir [illegible] [illegible] Albanian frontier.

I am a merchant and planter," writes Mr. T. N. [illegible], of [illegible], "and it gives me great pleasure to say that for severe coughs and colds Allen's Lung Balsam is the best remedy now offered for sale. [illegible] have induced many to try it with the best of results."

PACIFIC COAST.

Interesting News and Personal Notes from California.

SUMMARY OF SAN FRANCISCO'S TONNAGE.

Work Stopped on the Cedar River Extension—Important Decision Affecting American Tow Boats, Etc.

The New Territory Project.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Referring to the scheme to organize a new territory of the eastern part of Washington and the northern part of Idaho, the Chronicle this morning says: What the present population of the region is cannot be told, but if the mines are half what they are now reported to be there is no doubt that from 60,000 to 100,000 people will be settled in eastern Washington and northern Idaho within twelve months from this date, and if that is realized the movement for a new territory cannot be defeated. The territory of Washington contains very nearly 70,000 square miles and Idaho about 85,000. The two together are as large as the state of California and nearly three times as large as Illinois. A new territory could be cut out of them without reducing either below the area of Illinois, and yet allow it the new territory as many acres as are contained in Tennessee or Pennsylvania. The prospects of Washington for speedy admission as a state, to which its population she aspires, would not be seriously discounted. We think Washington now contains 160,000 inhabitants, on Puget sound and east of the Cascade mountains, without going half way up to these new mines, and the Sound population is very rapidly increasing all along from Olympia to the line of British Columbia.

The Produce Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Deliveries of farming produce at this port continue on a very small scale. There has been an extremely light supply of wheat actually thrown on this market of late receipts being made up in greater part of cargoes or part cargoes loaded at adjacent points. Small consignments from Oregon are coming forward quite regularly by steamers, yesterday's receipts including 10,082 centals from there. Fresh meats generally exhibit firmness, and prices for [illegible] [illegible] particularly lately have shown an upward tendency. It is not probable, however, that the present prices will be held for any length of time without a break, as there is reported to be quite a large lot of live hogs nearly due to leading dealers. It is yet too early to quote spring lambs with any satisfaction, the supply being very limited and prices irregular. Benefits arising from the rains will in a few weeks be experienced to a large extent by retailers and consumers and will result in reduced prices, especially for beef and mutton.

Personal.

[illegible] [Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ladd arrived in the city yesterday from San Gabriel, where they have been spending several weeks. They are guests of Mr. Elliott, and will sail for Portland on the 20th. Mr. Ladd has improved every day but three while he was in the southern country, only one day being cloudless, and that he was going back to Webfoot to get dry. [illegible]

A. N. Burt has given up his purpose of visiting the Sandwich Islands, and will start for San Diego by steamer to-morrow.

Pierre Mays and wife are still in the city and will go home next week.

G. W. Wells and wife are in the city and will remain till March.

A. H. Morgan and wife are at the Grand. The former is much improved in health, but will remain in California some time longer.

A Woman Commits Suicide.

This morning Mrs. E. F. Hiller was found in a dying condition from the effects of poison. Medical aid was summoned, but the unfortunate woman was too far gone and [illegible] called her [illegible] soon. Deceased was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] formerly lived in Sacramento. It is said she was suffering from heart disease and had [illegible] the habit of taking morphine for that [illegible] [illegible] that [illegible] caused her death. There is a suspicion, however, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and took the rats [illegible] [illegible] poverty. [illegible] [illegible] was about [illegible] years of age.

An Oregon Rain in San Francisco.

Special.—The weather was [illegible] yesterday than for several days past, and it [illegible] to be so to rain such as as [illegible] would put Oregon to [illegible] and has prevailed all day. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] general throughout the state.

Will Run Through Sleeping and Parlor Cars.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] between the Central [illegible] [illegible] Pacific and the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] companies [illegible] [illegible] Pullman Palace [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] after April 1st through sleeping and parlor cars will be run between this city and Chicago.

Relief Telegraphed.

The Grand Master Mason [illegible] this telegraphed to the Masonic [illegible] [illegible] committee of Cincinnati $1000 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] all telegraph [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] free of charge by order of [illegible].

SHIPPING NEWS.

Summary of Engaged and Disengaged Tonnage Now at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 15.—[Special.]—Following is a summary of engaged and disengaged tonnage here and at adjacent ports and on the way to this port yesterday morning: Engaged tons 41,400, disengaged 14,500, on the way [illegible] [illegible] total 730,000. The amount of tonnage under engagement to load wheat yesterday morning was 30,500 tons against 40,000 tons for the corresponding date last year, showing a decrease of 10,500 tons. There were 22 vessels under engagement to load wheat, including [illegible] at adjacent points. Engaged and disengaged tonnage has a carrying capacity for 284,8[illegible] short tons against a capacity for 144,[illegible] tons on the corresponding date last year, being an increase of 140,000 tons.

Only one shipment of flour has so far been made to Great Britain this month, viz: 8,228 barrels that cleared on the [illegible]. For the corresponding time in January shipments amounted to 41,403 barrels, and during that month 7[illegible] barrels were shipped. There are [illegible] several vessels on berth for Great Britain which will take in [illegible] [illegible] but the total for this month will probably be somewhat less than reported for January.

Wheat charters to date number twelve cargoes against five for the same time in January. A number of wheat cargoes have been reported sold off coast within the last few days.

The American ship L. J. Morse, hence for Cork Oct. [illegible], arrived [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and her cargo was sold [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] quarter. This rate is stated to be an advance [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] reported sales. [illegible] [illegible] grain and flour fleet of 1883-84 for Great Britain and the Continent all the vessels hence in July have arrived at their final destinations and all but four of the August departures of 1883. Of vessels sailing in September sixteen are still reported [illegible] having reached their final ports, though all of the number have already arrived at ports of call. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] October departures six have arrived, and two of these are set down as having reached their final destination.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Canal Bill Reported Favorably.

SEATTLE, Feb 15.—Special.—A telegram received in this city from Washington to-day states that the house committee on ways and canals has unanimously reported in favor of the canal bill now before congress giving the company a franchise to connect Lake Washington with the Sound, and collect tolls thereon. The bill grants all land that can be reclaimed, amounting to 5000 acres. The telegram states that the bill will undoubtedly pass.

Railroad Work Stopped.

Two hundred and fifty railroad employes and 1800 Chinese have been discharged from the Cedar river extension, and all material collected into the yards. Not a hammer is going along the line and there is no knowing when work will be resumed. Orders for stopping construction came from New York Wednesday. Hundreds of men are pouring into the city. It is hoped that the stoppage is only temporary.

Walla Walla News Items.

WALLA WALLA, Feb 15.—[Special.]—The weather is moderating. The barometer is falling fast and snow is beginning to fall, which will probably be followed by a warm spell.

Extensive preparations are being made for a ball [illegible] by several societies and orders.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Of Interest to Towboats.

VICTORIA, Feb 15.—An important decision, affecting the right of American steamers to tow in Canadian waters, was decided to-day. Some time ago the American steamer Goliah picked up a British ship off Cape Flattery, and contracted to tow her to Port Moody. The steamer brought her to an anchor in the Victoria outer harbor and entered Victoria harbor and cleared. The captain then went to the custom house and procured a clearance for Port Townsend and went outside and picked up the ship again and towed her into the straits. When fifteen miles off Victoria harbor the ship off-entered Port Townsend, cleared for Port Moody, came outside, picked up the ship again and towed her to Port Moody. When he next entered Victoria harbor his vessel was seized. The chief justice decided that the Goliah had violated the coasting laws of Canada and imposed a fine of $400 and costs.

The Umatilla Not to be Sold.

VICTORIA, Feb 15.—Lloyds agents have received cable instructions not to sell the Umatilla, it being the intention of the underwriters to raise and repair her. R. Dunsmuir & Sons, the owners of the steamship that towed the wreck into Esquimalt harbor, have filed a claim for $100,000 for salvage.

The Legislature.

The legislature will prorogue at 3 o'clock Monday. They have passed forty-two bills and voted $681,000 for public works.

Notes.

The legislature will adjourn in a day or two.

The weather is clear and warm; wind northerly.

STATE DISPATCHES.

Chinaman Frozen to Death.

MEACHAM, Feb 15.—[Special.]—A dead Chinaman was picked up to-day about five miles beyond here by William Lane of LaGrande. He froze to death on the night of the 8th inst. while on his way to this place, and en route to Portland. He was about 30 years old.

MONTANA.

Through Passengers.

GARRISON, Mt., Feb 15.—[Special.]—Passed westward to-day to arrive in Portland Sunday morning: C. D. Bore, Miss [illegible], D. H. Jones, Wm. Saywell and [illegible], [illegible]; J. L. Smith, Boston; Jas. B[illegible], Atlanta.

Dry Goods Imports.

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—Dry goods imports for the week, [illegible].

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Sirs—I take this opportunity of informing you of the benefits I have derived from *Dr. C. McLane's Liver Pills*. I have for two years past been afflicted with a severe pain over the eyes, accompanied with a nervousness and sense of dizziness, a malady beyond the power and skill of our physicians to relieve and cure, caused as far as I myself could judge, by a diseased state of the liver and stomach. Some of the doctors tried bleeding, and various other remedies were tried, but all in vain for the deep-rooted disease still stuck fast. At last I procured a box of your valuable Liver Pills from a druggist here and found, after taking a portion of them, that the disease and painful sensation over the eyes have almost entirely left me. I will close by advising all those afflicted as I have been, to procure the valuable medicine at once and save much time and pain, as in little expense. With sincere gratitude and respect I remain, yours respectfully,
GEO. W. RUSSELL, Toronto.

New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, No. 248 Seventh street, testify that they have both been suffering with the liver complaint for about five years, during which time they have spent a large amount of money and tried many remedies, but to no purpose. Finally hearing of *Dr. C. McLane's Liver Pills*, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh, Pa., they purchased four boxes, which they took according to the directions accompanying each box, and now pronounce themselves perfectly cured of that distressing disease.

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JAMES A. HAMILTON,
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COUGHS. "Mt. Gilead, Ohio, June 26, 1882. "I have used AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL this spring for a severe cough and lung trouble with good effect, and I am pleased to recommend it to any one similarly affected.
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J. R. SELMP, Los Angeles, Cal., says he has used **WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY** for fifteen years, and takes pleasure in recommending it.

E. H. ELMORE, Red Bluff, Cal., says: "I have sold **WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY** for sixteen years, and unhesitatingly say that I believe it one of the best and most reliable preparations in the market for the radical cure of Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung Complaints, and I can cheerfully recommend it to all in need of such a remedy."

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[illegible] [illegible] Capsicum Porous Plasters cured my large [illegible] in twenty four hours.—J. M. [illegible] [illegible]

The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 16 1884

RULES OF THE HOUSE.

In a recent debate in the house of representatives on the adoption of the rules of the 48th congress, Mr. Reed, of Maine, a member of the committee on rules, proposed an amendment re-establishing the morning hour, to extend as formerly for an indefinite period, and making other changes, the effect of which would be to enable a majority of the house to control its business. He proposed that the morning hour should extend until the house vote to take up other business, and that during that time the committees have leave to report in their order, and have their business acted on. Under such a rule the majority can take up legislation in its order. This was the practice until the revision of rules in 1880. The present system, which Mr. Randall desired to have continued, concentrates all power in the speaker, and the chairman of the committee on appropriations, because that committee can report at any time. As Mr. Reed explained, when a bill is introduced it goes to its appropriate committee, "when it comes out of that committee it goes upon one of three calendars; first, the calendar of the committee of the whole house on the state of the union, if it be a bill appropriating money; or, second, it goes to the private calendar, and is considered in committee of the whole on Friday; or, if it is a bill of a public nature and does not appropriate money, it goes to what is called the house calendar. The principle of our present rules is that every question shall be taken up in the order in which it finds itself upon the calendars, and if the house were to transact all its business, and act upon every bill so reported, that system would be perfection itself, because it would only be a question of time as to when any measure would be acted upon. But, unfortunately, congress does not do all its business. It does not do even 8 per cent. of its business." Under this system there are but two ways of getting a bill through. One is by the unanimous consent of the house, which throws the responsibility of its defeat upon one man, who has to incur the odium of objecting to a bill often under circumstances which do not justify it. A member may hear a bill read about which he has no previous knowledge, and while he is deliberating whether he will incur the enmity of a fellow member by objecting to it, the speaker says "no objection is heard," and the bill goes through. Mr. Reed says that one-half, at least, of the bills for public buildings of the last session were passed in that way. It is a very pernicious system, under which the success of a bill depends not so much upon its merits as upon the impudence of its supporter. "It is merely a question whether he can worry the speaker with a recognition." And he generally takes that time to demand recognition when the man who is likely to object to his bill is not in the house.

The other way to secure the passage of a bill is also dependent upon the recognition of the speaker. It is by a suspension of the rules by a two-thirds vote of the house. As Mr. Reed says, the business of every legislative body ought to be done by its majority. If it is a bad majority, they take the consequences of their action. Under a system which makes legislation depend so much upon the favoritism of the speaker and the exchange of personal courtesy and favor among members, the most important legislation is delayed, while the "little bill" of various members goes through. This system accounts for the fact that general legislation, such as the bankrupt law, laws for the relief of the supreme court, for the counting of the electoral vote, and regulating the presidential succession, go over from one congress to another, while the bills in which members have a personal interest are passed. The country suffers, while the jobbers prosper, because the house has imposed upon itself such vicious rules.

A well known New York journalist is in favor of "a mitigation of the lawyer monopoly." One class of lawyers, he says, not over ten thousand in number throughout the United States, furnishes all our rulers, law makers and judges; that is to say, the second-class lawyer furnishes nearly all our presidents, cabinet secretaries, governors, mayors, congressmen, legislators and members of local government boards. I say second-class lawyers advisedly, for first-class lawyers can make more money in their profession than in holding offices. The lawyer caste in this country makes all our laws, expounds them from the bench, and enforces them in executive offices. The lawyer is supreme everywhere, even in so-called reform organizations. There is doubtless some truth in this statement. It only shows that the business of politics—the management of parties and the control of offices—is a trade, for the successful prosecution of which the profession of the law affords better advantages than any other profession.

Mexico has been mortgaging itself to corporations more liberally and lavishly than the United States, with the advantage in our favor that we are under mortgage to men of our own country, while Mexico is mortgaged to American capitalists. Concessions have been granted to eight railroads on a most liberal scale. The National gets $29,452,000; the Central $30,000,000; Sonora, $3,968,000; the Oriental (Jay Gould's road), $7,725,000, and the Southern (Grant's), $1,650,000. In addition to these there are a number of short lines to which the Mexicans have granted equally liberal subsidies. On the other hand, the National road is estimated to cost only $25,455,000, a sum only $10,000 greater than its subsidy. But the entire revenue of the country does not exceed $25,000,000 annually; and the subsidies granted the roads amount, therefore, to nearly three times the annual income of our liberal neighbor.

Says the *Standard*: "If telegraphic news does not become public property upon the issue of a paper containing such matter, then the ordinary citizen who buys a paper and reads dispatches, has no authority in law for loaning his paper to a friend or for telling his neighbor the contents of that newspaper." Wouldn't it read equally well this way, viz: "If Bancroft's history does not become public property upon the issue of a volume, then the ordinary citizen who buys the book and reads its contents, has no authority in law for lending his book to a friend or telling his neighbor the contents of that volume." Bancroft gets a copyright for his narration of the battle of Lexington. Why should not a newspaper have a copyright for its account of an important event?

One of the most useless of all investigations is that now going on at Danville, Va. It is sufficiently known to the country that a great many negroes were killed there just before the late election, in order to intimidate the negro vote and beat the Mahone party. It is a common thing in nearly a dozen southern states to do the like, and has been during many years. And what is more, the people of the north approve it as a means of suppressing the negro vote, agreeing with the southern whites that it is justifiable in the circumstances. What, then, is the use of an investigation? It will not mend matters in the smallest degree.

As a result of several weeks' observation in Washington Mr. Charles L. Colby, president of the Wisconsin Central railroad, is convinced that the "land grant railroads" will be deprived of all hope of getting lands which they have not earned, though they may be allowed to retain those which they earned subsequent to the time originally fixed.

The democrats have rearranged the congressional districts of Ohio so as to put 20,000 republican majority in one district and leave nearly all the rest reasonably sure for their own party.

RIVERS AND FLOODS.

The Ohio river and all its upper tributaries come out of a hilly country. Till recent times the whole country was covered with forests, which retarded the flow of the waters in the innumerable small streams, so that the rise of the larger streams was less sudden and impetuous than now. Since destruction of the forests began high water mark in the main streams has been gradually climbing higher and higher, till now, the forests having almost entirely disappeared, it is reaching points never before known. These great floods come suddenly, and as suddenly subside. The water rolls down as from the bursting of a mighty reservoir, because there is nothing left to check its flow in the small streams and gullies, out of which it pours with terrible velocity and volume from every part of the water-shed of a vast and hilly country. The sward, too, that formerly detained the waters where they fell, allowing them to flow away but slowly and gradually, has been broken up by cultivation of the soil, and into every hollow from every declivity the rain fall rushes, making a torrent down every hillside, and sweeping the soil itself as deep as the plough has stirred it, into the streams. The river channels cannot carry the water thus suddenly precipitated into them, and the result is overflow and desolation. The Ohio is more subject to these visitations than any other of our rivers, because of the hilly country out of which it flows, the extent of its course, and the vast number of its tributaries; but all experience shows that the floods of every river coming from a country originally covered with forests are increased more or less as the forests are cut away. The rainfall is not greater; it may be even less, but it all rushes off the ground at once. In the present case the waters which meet in the Ohio have all come down simultaneously, and as often as there is a general and heavy rain storm, the devastation now witnessed will be repeated. Last year the river was higher than ever before known; this year it is higher still.

A Chicago paper quotes Captain James B. Eads, who has given more attention, perhaps, than any other man to the forces connected with the currents of rivers, as saying that such swift and rapid floods as the present one in the Ohio bring certain advantages to compensate the losses they produce, in that they scour out permanently the river's bottom so as to give it the increased depth essential to carry its own current and counteract the alleged gradual tendencies of the sediment to fill up and block the channels. He holds, therefore, that reasonably narrow levees and artificial embankments are better than wide ones, or than defensive works removed half a mile or several miles back from the river, as the former help better to scour the channel to its needed depth. In China, however, the effort to protect life and property against the inundations of rivers has a longer recorded experience than in any other country, and protection against river floods forms the peculiar business of a special bureau in the imperial board of public works. There the theory is acted upon that river defenses should be far enough back from the river to give the river a wider channel as it rises, in order that the surplus waters may be carried off more easily. This is a question more pertinent to the condition of the Mississippi below Cairo than to the condition of the Ohio at Cincinnati, and of its confluents at Pittsburg, where nature has done all that can be done in the way of embankment. At Cincinnati, however, there is talk of raising the entire level of the now inundated portion of the city above the flood height, which of course would involve the necessity of adopting the most thorough system of protection for the raised portion.

The losses caused by this great flood in the Ohio will foot up many millions of dollars, and they are liable to be repeated any year. It is not easy to see how anything can be done to prevent this. The timber cannot be restored to the country, because the land is wanted and will be kept for cultivation. It is suggested that a great system of reservoirs might be inaugurated, so as to detain the waters near their sources and draw them off gradually either for power, irrigation or navigation. Only the general government could undertake a work of this magnitude, which, visionary as it may seem at first thought, is in reality less so than the attempt to confine the volume of the Mississippi between two mud walls called levees, to be raised up year by year above the surrounding country as the river bed, filled by sediment, rises continually.

THE METRIC SYSTEM.

President Barnard of the American Metrological Society, the members of which have for years been earnestly praying congress that we may have the benefit of the metric system in the postoffice, in the customs service, in the coinage, in the great governmental surveys, and in all public documents involving statements of quantity, is naturally disgusted with the profoundly unimpressible condition of the average congressional mind in regard to any subject unconnected with the struggles of parties, or with the political chances of individual members in their own several states. He says: "Were this a question of the removal or retention in office of a tide waiter on the coast of Alaska, or of the appointment of a postmaster at the Confederate Cross Roads, no doubt the attention of the assembled wisdom of the nation would be unremittingly concentrated upon that important matter till disposed of, even if it took all summer or all winter to settle it; but when the thing proposed is one which concerns only the good of the people at large, involving no possibility to the politician of gain in power or pelf, it is expeditiously consigned to the oblivion of the committee room, and the document which pleads in its favor lights the committee's cigars or kindles its fires.

It is not creditable to our government that there should be such a neglect of this subject. More than three-fifths of our imports come from countries in which the metric system is already in use, while our present system is only partly in harmony with that of Great Britain and the British possessions from which the remaining two-fifths come. This want of harmony involves an enormous amount of labor in the custom houses and consequent expense to importer and consumer. It is nearly one hundred years since the continental congress resolved on a decimal system of currency for the United States, and Washington, in his message to the first congress, said that a standard of measurement, "at once invariable and universal," was a great desideratum to the country. Jefferson advocated a decimal system which would "bring the calculation of the principal affairs of life within the arithmetic of every man who can multiply and divide plain numbers." Madison, in an annual message to congress, said "the great utility of a standard founded on the easy rule of decimal proportions is sufficiently obvious. It led the government at an early stage to preparatory steps for introducing it; and a completion of the work will be a just title to the public gratitude." Several of the most eminent men who have filled the office of secretary of the treasury have earnestly recommended the completion of the work. And yet members of congress are in no haste to earn the gratitude of the country by exchanging our heterogeneous weights and measures for the metric system.

The *Brewers' Journal* shows that the ale and beer sold last year in six states alone amounted to the following: New York, 5,848,254 barrels; Pennsylvania, 1,706,946 barrels; Ohio, 1,585,852 barrels; Wisconsin, 1,298,183 barrels; Illinois, 1,071,408 barrels, and Missouri, 1,022,639 barrels. New York city alone shows sales of 3,230,908 barrels; Philadelphia, 1,023,514 barrels. This is enough to rot the stomachs and derange the kidneys of many millions of people.

No Safer Remedy can be had for Coughs and Colds or any trouble of the Throat, than *"Brown's Bronchial Troches."* **Price 25 cents.** *Sold only in boxes.*

BUTTER AND BUTTER MAKING.

Some Plain Talk upon the Subject, with Plain Directions to the Butter Maker.

EAST PORTLAND, Feb. 12.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I have seen several articles of late in your paper with regard to butter and its management both in Oregon and the east. It seems to me that there must be great ignorance on this coast, not only with regard to how and when eastern butter is made, but also to the manufacture of butter generally, or it would be no mystery to the butter maker here how fresh white clover butter found its way to this coast at this season from a country where the thermometer has been fooling around zero for months and the snow is no one knows how deep."

The fact is, in the east at this season of the year butter is manufactured only in small quantities and none of this ever reaches this coast. Neither does it follow from this fact that "all the butter that comes here in firkins is a compound made by mixing lard and butter together and called butterine," for it is the custom generally among butter makers in the east to pack and market their butter in crocks or firkins. And this marketing is not done as soon as the butter is churned or a crock or firkin is filled, as in Oregon, but is often held by the dairyman until after the butter season which extends from April to November, and then when the price of butter advances in the fall or early winter, he markets his entire butter make of the season. Now, butter could not be handled thus if it was not made and packed in such a manner as to keep sweet and fresh for months. It would be impossible to supply the eastern demand for butter if large quantities were not thus packed and held. Butter packed in May and June will outsell in the winter following any fresh winter-made butter.

Thus it will be seen that large quantities of fresh clover butter are handled in the east in firkins at this season of the year. It is a sad commentary upon the butter makers of Oregon to have "our leading merchants holding tons of their butter and puzzled what to do with it," when butter is selling here at the extraordinary high price of forty-five to fifty cents per pound. It is no wonder that the eastern firkin butter sells readily, as it is not only cheaper but it is much better than the Oregon butter held by our merchants. It may be true that some of this eastern firkin butter is nothing but that compound known as butterine. But to say that all is such, is rather too strong an assertion; for I have found some of it excellent, preferable to most of the fresh-made butter we find in our market.

Now the great difficulty with our Oregon butter is: much of it is made and packed in such a manner that it will not keep fresh, but become stale sometimes before it reaches the market, or at best soon after, and of course it is then unmarketable.

If our dairymen would take such pains in making and packing butter that it would keep fresh and sweet for eight or nine months they would have command of the situation. Our butter market would not be oversupplied in the spring and summer, nor would there be a scarcity in the winter, nor would our merchants be puzzled to know what to do with the tons of butter they receive, for then it would be salable, and could be sold to the consumer.

Now, wishing to aid our dairymen so that they can accomplish this art of making and packing butter so that it will keep, I will give the directions for making and packing butter which, by experience, I have found to succeed. In the first place it is necessary to have a cool, well ventilated cellar or milk room, which should be used exclusively for this purpose, and should be kept clean, and free from all fumes, as butter and milk are great absorbents. The milk should be strained in shallow vessels, and should be skimmed regularly, and never left to stand to exceed forty-eight hours, and never till small white specks appear on the cream. If at any time this should happen it would be far better to throw the cream away than to mix it with the other cream, as it would spoil all with which it came in contact.

In churning use a wooden or earthen churn and churn often, not less than three times a week, and always in the morning when it is cool, and never pour hot water into the cream when churning. After the butter is churned it should be taken up in a wooden bowl and should be handled with a wooden ladle; then it should be thoroughly washed in clear cold water, and one cannot be too careful in doing this, as the keeping quality of the butter depends very much upon the thorough use of the operation. It may be done in this manner. After the butter has been placed in the wooden bowl pour upon it clear cold water, then work it over in the water with the ladle, then pour off this water, which will be well colored with milk. Now pour on fresh water, work as before, pour it off, then add more water and continue this operation until the water cannot be colored by working the butter in it. Then pour off the water and salt the butter. Then set it in the milk room and let it stand till the next morning, when it will be come firm. It is now ready to work, and this should be done with care, as butter is easily spoiled by working it too much; yet it should be worked sufficiently to relieve it from every vestige of milk and water that may be in it. Now it will be ready to pack, and for this purpose use a firkin or well glazed earthen crock. Whichever is used, see that it is sweet and clean, place in the bottom a thin layer of salt, then put the butter in and pack it down solid. Cover the butter with a piece of butter cloth and then lay on another layer of salt and set it away in the milk room if not full till the next churning. Then remove the cloth and salt from the butter in the firkin and pack the last churning upon the first, and continue this process till the vessel is filled, then replace the cloth and salt, and if a firkin, head it up and set it away in the milk room and let it remain until such time as it is desired to market it. Butter made and packed in this manner will keep fresh for a long time, and hence will give the butter-maker a chance of choice in the market. It is not only less labor to so pack butter but it is a much cleaner way to handle it than to make it into rolls. It has the advantage, when packed in this manner, of always being ready for the market and can be shipped to any point. It makes no difference how far; it will always arrive in firm order and find a ready market. DAIRYMAN.

AGAINST WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 10, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Your remarks some days ago on the subject of "Young America," give me an opportunity to present a view of the woman's rights question, which appears to have been hitherto ignored. The facts regarding the rising generation stated by you, are generally conceded to be true, but it is amazing to see with what apathy this appalling state of affairs is regarded by all, or nearly all. The attention of woman is everywhere directed to the dreadful degradation of her position as a non-voter. She is made to believe that the tyrant man is daily and hourly trampling her in the dust because he does not allow her to vote. She is made to sigh for additional responsibilities in the shape of the ballot, jury duty, etc., the while her already great God-given responsibilities in her home amongst her children are very inefficiently discharged. If they were not, how came young America into such a deplorable plight?

Instead of being urged for the sake of the country, if for no nearer reason, to give the training of her children and her other home duties the best efforts of her heart and brain, she is taught that domestic duties are beneath her powers, and that it is only man's selfishness that delegates such duties to her. Hence, too, the difficulty that busy housewives have in procuring efficient household help; girls are taught that it is eminently respectable to do almost anything a man can do, but domestic work is degrading, when the fact of the matter is that domestic servants hold the comfort of the family in the palms of their hands so to speak, and therefore domestic service is one of the noblest of fields for woman's work. No man can fill a woman's place there. But if girls continue to be taught to despise household work I fear that, before long, homes will be a by-gone institution, and with hotel training what can be expected of Young America?

I am progressive enough to want every possible avenue opened to women who have to earn their own living, but no woman can afford to live in complete ignorance of household duties, and mothers who bring up daughters without giving them a practical knowledge of said duties commit a sin against the community.

I am told that woman's vote will help the temperance cause more than anything else has done, or can do. I am a temperance woman myself, but think that, in this matter as in other reforms, our chief hope is in the rising generation, and if woman will take care of her home rights and teach temperance with other duties there, that will help the temperance cause more than her vote. Woman's time will be more profitably spent preventing crime by good home training than in sitting on juries weighing the evidence of committed crimes.

The advocates of woman suffrage appear to take it for granted that all who do not agree with them must take the ground that woman is intellectually unfit to vote. Such is not the case at all. I have as great a respect for the intelligence and capabilities of my sex as any one, but I think woman's responsibilities are already heavy enough, and am sorry to see additional burdens put upon her. Man and woman are emphatically equal, but how much better for them to move along smoothly side by side than to crowd each other on the same trail. They ought not to live in a state of antagonism. Are there not men enough in this country to govern it, and can we not trust our husbands and brothers to do the law-making for us while we attend to the home-making, and bring up good citizens to keep the laws, and in their turn to vote for us and legislate for us as we have taught them? A MOTHER.

A NEW WORD.

PORTLAND, Feb. 15, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I see by your paper of yesterday and this morning that Mrs. Dr. B. A. Owens will lecture in the W. C. T. U. hall to-night on "Heredity." I must say I do not know what this word means, and think there are a great many in like ignorance; and knowing THE OREGONIAN is supposed to know everything, we ask for we are many—from whence springs this word, and where is it to be found? Is it something new? Is it English or not? INQUIRER.

The word has no place in old or middle English, but is much used by modern writers on physiology and kindred sciences. It was unknown to lexicographers till recently, but may be found in the supplement to the last edition of Webster, where it is defined thus: "HEREDITY—The transmission of the physical and psychical qualities of parents to their offspring, the biological law by which living beings tend to repeat themselves in their descendants."

A DISGUSTED ANTI-MONOPOLIST.

WASHINGTON CO., Feb. 13, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I am a disgusted anti-monopolist. Our friends met at Salem the other day and "resolved" on various subjects, some quite indefinitely, but omitted to say a word upon the most pressing and practical evil—the granting of free passes to the officers of state, the buying up, or seeking to, of our courts and legislatures with railroad passes. On that subject an ominous silence prevailed at the meeting. Is it possible that the one or two passes in the pockets of one or two members of the meeting threw a coldness over it upon the subject and caused it to be ignored? Or did the resolution denouncing discrimination on the part of the railroads refer to passes and mean that all of them should have them as well as the one or two? There would be no monopoly in that, and I am inclined to think that was what the majority meant by that resolution. The resolution on the tariff will suit everybody or nobody, as nobody will dissent from it. [illegible] in favor of not raising more revenue than the government needs. All the most ultra free trade men and the extremest protectionists will assent to that. No one would raise more than is needed. The free trader would put on low duties to accomplish that end, while the protectionist would put prohibitory duties on many articles to accomplish the same end. Either would result in diminished revenue and either would confine the duties to the needs of the government, as the Salem resolution requires. So you can take your choice, and under it be a free trader or protectionist.

But if such company has no war to make upon the pernicious and corrupting system of free passes to all men in place and power, I am prepared to leave the party. I am not for [illegible] glittering shadows and indefinite generalities, but for moving freely upon the works. REAL ANTI-MONOPOLY.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

ALBANY, February 11.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

My attention was directed, a few days ago, to an article that appeared in your daily of the [illegible], under the caption, "The School Machine," also to one in the daily of the 13th on the same subject, but in connection with San Francisco. Now if the two leading cities in the northwest, see and feel everything evil, and speak loudly against it, I no longer fear the appellation of "Old Fogy," because I have been calling lustily for the old paths. In the third, you speak of the arbitrary machinery with which the public school system has been clothed, and clogged, and you say the end is not yet in sight, but that the simple system is becoming more intricate, and less practical; the more intricate the system, the less common sense and the less its adaptability to the great masses of our school population. In all this I believe you to be correct. In the third you speak of "machine bosses, who ignore the importance of directors, who are regarded as mere figure heads, subject to their behests." We have seen the evil for several years and have striven to avert it. The directors are the soul of the system, its executive, its vital factor, and every other is secondary or subordinate. Our school system in this state is good, but perhaps not the best that can be. Our school books are not the best that can be in many respects, neither have our teachers attained to perfection, but all these are effective or ineffective as our directors are active or inactive, efficient or inefficient leaders or followers.

We have been laboring faithfully for two years to accomplish what you say ought to be done. To show you that we have acted upon this line, we send you a circular letter, and also a programme of an institute held in this (Linn) county November last, under our supervision. In preparing for that occasion, a circular letter was printed in each of our three county papers, inviting, personally, each school clerk to be present and participate in the proceedings. Also a circular letter was sent to each one of the 285 school directors in the county, asking him to be present.

You will see in the accompanying programme that a part of the institute's time was allotted to the directors to consider some of the most vital questions connected with our educational interest. Our public schools are designed for all, but especially to reach and educate the masses who are in limited circumstances, hence, let us have a system as plain and as inexpensive as prudence will admit. But few of the great number of children are educated above our public schools; and for this reason, give us simplicity and thoroughness in spelling, reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar, geography and history.

The good teacher is one who induces the bad boy to be good, the lazy boy to be energetic, the dull boy to be bright and the thoughtless boy to be a thinker, and these ends are not accomplished by forcing one into conformity to fixed and invariable rules, but by leading him to a knowledge of his intellectual and moral worth. The laws of mind are just as when we were boys, and it takes the same process to make good scholars, viz: close application of the scholar, and precept, etc., on the part of the teacher. The institutes are a power for good provided they are in the right hands and properly conducted, but the discussion of problematical theories, or abstruse principles of science, however interesting, are never practical to the great masses of our teachers who do almost all the work in our country schools. An institute should be composed of school directors, school clerks, school teachers and school patrons, and the whole work should tend to this point, the most work in the shortest time, with the least machinery and the less expense, and the greater good.

Very respectfully, R. A. MOORES,
Supt. Schools, Linn County.

PORTLAND, Feb. 15.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

It is far from my thoughts or intention to say a word against our common schools, the great bulwark of liberty and progress, by making unjust and unnecessary criticism upon their management. Neither is it through any personal feeling against the officers, managers, or teachers from the highest to the lowest that I am actuated to utter one syllable in regard to the [illegible] of the schools. I am free to say they should have the management as any who might be chosen, if they would institute such reforms in the schools as seem absolutely necessary for the welfare and progress of the pupils. The present state of things are but an offshoot of a [illegible] enthusiastic faith has wafted [illegible] and patriotism in education, fearing it would be [illegible] to say anything, lest in so doing it would cripple and wound what they decided to erect and build up. But like all other reforms the needed change does not come and will not come until the people openly demand it. I will not charge that these abuses are the result of a desire to manipulate the school machinery to the interests of a ring, but with all the charitable construction of their motives, and seeing no reason for these serious defects, I want the necessary light and [illegible] to the parent, educators and members of [illegible] schools.

This state of things always prevails where public sentiment is kept at a distance by the motives of [illegible]. A church that never has anything but good to say about its members, however vicious and indifferent they may be, will propagate a weak, tame ministry.

So it is with our school question. We praise our school system so highly that we are afraid to say anything, for fear of doing mischief, and this [illegible] which abounds with irregularities and inconsistencies [illegible] and the evil deepens.

The whole responsibility is thrown upon the shoulders of a few individuals. They have little fear of criticism and so, attempting to manage the schools, they make many blunders that they might not make if they knew the lash of public sentiment was ready to come down on their blunders. This "hush" at public criticism opens the way for all kinds of abuse. The book agent and book maker are quick to see this weak point in our system, and they hasten to foist on the people a lot of books called school books, which are much too complicated, bewildering in the main, and in some instances the merest trash; and the parent, who raises his voice, is hushed to silence by the frowns of the manipulators. These so-called school books and the complicated and over-exacting machinery of the school room, like the "old man of the sea," are weighing us down, and retarding our progress in the way of educating our children. PARENT.

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DIED.

In this city, Feb. 15, Annie Theresa, daughter of Owen and Mary [illegible], aged [illegible] years, [illegible] months and 19 days. [illegible] from [illegible] Fourth st. Friends of the family are invited.

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HOUSE FOR RENT, GOOD LOCATION; WOULD sell furniture. Address "J. R.," this office. 16f.

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WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, with one child, rooms and board in the southwest part of the city; references exchanged. Address D., box 700. 16f6

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OREGON PIONEERS—A MEETING OF THE Board of directors of the Oregon Pioneer Association will be held at Salem on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1884, to arrange for the twelfth annual reunion in June next, and for the transaction of other business.
T. B. ODENEAL, Sec. J. W. NESMITH, Pres.

Butterick's Spring Styles
At 83 Yamhill St.
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A large and fine supply received yesterday at MENDENHALL'S, 27 Salmon st. Epicureans will find them of choice quality. Order to-day what you want. 11

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We have this day appointed Messrs. SEALY, MASON & CO., Portland, sole agents for the sale of our BUTTER, which we have arranged to deliver to them [illegible] every day, except Sunday.
HEILMANN & TEENDRUP,
Managers of
REEDVILLE CREAMERY,
Feb. 15, 1884. 16f7 REEDVILLE, OR.

MONEY TO LOAN
For short terms, in sums to suit, from $100 to $1000, on approved security.
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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS.
IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE CONTINUAL USEless running of water from the services to keep them from freezing, we find it necessary to shut off the supply from 8 o'clock P. M. to 6 o'clock A. M., to protect the city in case of fire.
12f PORTLAND WATER CO.

PILES $1000 Reward for itching, bleeding or protruding Piles. DeBing's Pile Remedy fails to cure. REDINGTON, WOODARD & CO., Agents, Portland, Or. Dd&w

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WANTED—A RESPECTABLE PARTY, WITHout children, to take a furnished house, and board a lady for the rent of the house. Address "A. T.," Oregonian office. 15f5

WANTED—THREE ROOMS, ALL OR PARTLY furnished, with [illegible] central location. Address "Room," this office. 14f1

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WANTED—A MAN AND WIFE, MAN TO raise fruit and garden, wife to do housework for small family. [illegible] Inquire at office of clerk of U. S. [illegible], postoffice building. 9f?

GIRLS WANTING EMPLOYMENT, PLEASE call on [illegible], 2[illegible] Fourth street. Help furnished on short notice.

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WANTED—A SITUATION AS BOOKKEEPER or [illegible]; reference given. Address "J. [illegible]," this office. 16f

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East Portland, Feb. 11, 1884. 11f1m

NOVELTY RESTAURANT, NO. 11 WASHINGton st., bet. Second and Third, has been reopened under new management. Meals served on the check system. [illegible]. 15f

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—MERRILL & Coulter, jobbers, contractors and builders, have this day dissolved by mutual consent, J. T. Merrill continuing the business, paying all bills and collecting all debts of the firm.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION—THE FIRM OF S. & G. Gump & Co. of this city has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. J. Halberstadt retiring from the firm. The business will hereafter be conducted by S. & G. Gump, who alone are authorized to sign in liquidation.
S. & G. GUMP.
J. HALBERSTADT.
Portland, Or., February 7, 1884. 9f10

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Dated January 28, 1884. 30j

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Portland	29 96	—.06	27	E	.04	Cloudy
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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

At 10 A. M., O'Connor holds an important sale of [illegible] in bankruptcy, on Pine st., bet. First and Second. Holman & Co. sell household furniture at residence No. [illegible] N. Fifth st., bet. A and B, at 10 A. M.

Copies of THE OREGONIAN, containing the annual review, may still be had at the publication office.

CITY.

SULLIVAN'S LAST NIGHT. There is no debating the fact that a very large part of Portland's people want to see scientific and hard boxing, and are willing to pay for the sport, as New Market theater was again filled last night, the occasion being the last exhibition by the John L. Sullivan combination. An ambitious young man named Frank Keenan, who arrived here recently from Davenport, Iowa, applied to Manager Smith at the door, with the request that he might be permitted to stand up four rounds against Pete McCoy and earn $50. The money was placed in Barry Griffin's hands, and Keenan went on. Apparently none of John L.'s blood flows in Frank's veins, for in forty-two seconds he threw up the sponge and carried it into the green room to wash away the gore from his nose. His very awkwardness saved him from being knocked out in ten seconds. As usual, McCoy and Gillespie took the burden of entertaining the crowd with their skillful sparring and powerful blows. Sullivan on his trip in eastern Oregon contracted a severe cold, which settled in his lungs, and he was in a fitter condition for bed than the ring. Still he gave a fair exhibition with Slade. The combination left by the Columbia for San Francisco.

SALMON'S SAN FRANCISCO CREDITORS.—In behalf of a number of the San Francisco creditors of A. Salmon & Co., Messrs. Ettinger & Bonne yesterday took out an attachment for $20,256 40 against the bankrupt firm, and a levy was made on their stock of goods for that amount. Even taking Salmon's own statement, the stock is only worth about $30,000, and as he has already confessed judgment to his Portland creditors in sums amounting to nearly $50,000, the San Francisco firms will get less than fifty cents on the dollar for their accounts, taking the most hopeful view of the case. From this it would appear that the action of the San Francisco creditors in sending sight drafts upon Salmon to this city, of which the latter complained so bitterly and to which he attributed his failure, was not so very malicious after all. They evidently did not fare so well as did the Portland creditors. Perhaps the pressing of their claims so urgently did precipitate somewhat the announcement of Salmon's inability to meet his just debts, but it would be quite interesting to know what had become of the difference between $40,000 worth of goods bought and [illegible] worth unsold.

COEUR D'ALENE EAGLE.—Mr. A. F. Parker, ex-editor of the Lewiston, Idaho, Nez Perce News and [illegible] de Lacy have purchased material for the publication of a daily and weekly newspaper at Eagle city, in the Coeur d'Alene mines, to be known as the Coeur d'Alene Eagle, the first number of which will be issued at an early date. Both gentlemen are experienced newspaper men and are especially fitted to make a success of their new enterprise, having graduated in different camps of Idaho and Nevada. Mr. Parker has gained a wide-spread and well earned reputation as one of the best informed and most useful writers in the country on the resources, history and progress of the northwest through his correspondence in many different papers, and is therefore peculiarly fitted to do justice to his new field. [illegible] copies of the Eagle over and above the individual subscription list are already contracted for, and the proprietors expect the edition to reach [illegible] by the time their canvass is completed.

WALKING ACROSS THE WILLAMETTE. For several days parties have been crossing the river here with skates, that is, they crossed on the ferry with their skates under their arms. But yesterday a pioneer crossed on the ice in the neighborhood of the Jefferson street ferry, both above and below. The first to attempt the foolhardy feat supplied himself with a large stone which he threw ahead of him and when he reached where it had rested threw it on again. He crossed in safety and many others followed. They will have the pleasure of recounting to generations yet unborn that they crossed the Willamette at Portland on the ice on the 15th of February, 1884. Had any of them gone through the ice and could they have reached them in time to save their lives. In that case they would now have been still [illegible] to people born many generations back how they attempted to cross the Willamette on that date, and got warmer and dried on "the other side."

MRS. COOPER'S BIBLE CLASS.—Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, whose lecture upon "The Kindergarten as a Character Builder," in the Unitarian church Wednesday evening, gave such general satisfaction, was tried for heresy in Calvary Presbyterian church of San Francisco. As a result she withdrew and united with the First Congregational church in that city, where she now has perhaps the largest bible class in the world. It numbers over 300 regular attendants. She is superintendent of all the kindergartens in San Francisco, and is greatly beloved and respected by all who know her. Her success as an instructor in biblical literature is remarkable. Dr. Marvin invited her to fill his pulpit in this city to-morrow, but her engagements in San Francisco made it impossible for her to remain. She left with last night's steamer.

ARGUED AND SUBMITTED. A motion to strike out parts of the complaint in the case of Louis Goldsmith vs the Balch estate, as irrelevant and redundant was argued before Judge Deady yesterday by Messrs. Watson & Willis for the defense and Kelly & Williams for the plaintiff. The parts of the complaint to which the defense objected were that Max Goldsmith owned three eighths of the property in dispute, and that plaintiff acquired title by having been in possession of the land for ten years. It was argued that these matters cut no figure in the suit. The counsel for the plaintiff took an opposite view of the matter. After hearing the views of counsel on the matter Judge Deady took it under advisement.

SECOND LECTURE.—The Hon. Thomas Brennan, M. P., will speak again this evening at the New Market theater. As this place has good seats, and is well warmed and lighted, instead of being as open and frosty as an old New England barn, it is safe to say that a much larger audience will be present than at the Mechanics' pavilion Friday. Mr. Brennan is a talented man and an interesting orator. His truthful accounts of Irish life and the purposes of the National League, to which association he is devoting all his time and energies, will go much toward correcting the wrong impressions that many people have formed concerning Ireland and her people.

CAPABILITIES OF THE CITY DREDGER.—The reports of the last work done by the city dredger show that it had reached a spot free from logs and drift, and here a chance was afforded to show what work she is capable of doing. In the clean gravel and sand she was able to fill a scow in eighteen minutes, of which it took about half an hour to dispose. In five [illegible] eleven scow loads were removed. The ice has interrupted work for the present, but when the river is clear the dredger will probably accomplish something in the way of throwing mud which will put to shame the efforts in that line of those who have been trying to malign her.

SOUP KITCHEN PROPOSITION.—G. W. [illegible], who resides one mile east and a half a mile north of Mount Tabor, writes to THE OREGONIAN to say that he has noticed that a movement is on foot in this city to start a soup kitchen for the purpose of giving one dish of soup per day to those who have no money and can get no work. He further states that he wants 200 cords of wood cut and will pay eighty cents per cord, which he thinks better than begging. It is not to be inferred that he furnishes any soup to the wood choppers.

NEW MINING COMPANY.—Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the county clerk's office of the Buncombe Mining Company, the incorporators being Alex. P. Ankeny, Vincent Cook and D. P. Kennedy. The company proposes to transact a general mining business at Sterling creek, Jackson county, Oregon, and such other places as they may hereafter choose, and their principal office will be at Portland. The capital stock of the company is placed at $6,000, divided into shares of $100 each.

RECEPTION TO MRS. COOPER.—A reception was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Eliot last evening in honor of Mrs. S. B. Cooper, superintendent of the kindergartens of San Francisco. The attendance was large, including many prominent ladies and members of the Social Science Association, Professor Marsh of Forest Grove and many others interested in the work of instructing the children. At the close Mrs. Cooper and daughter were taken to the steamer for San Francisco.

SADLY AFFLICTED.—The family of E. J. Dougherty, the county jailer, is at the present time sadly afflicted by serious illness. Mrs. Dougherty, who has not yet entirely recovered from the weakness incident to childbirth, is unable to move on account of a severe attack of rheumatism, the oldest boy, Eddie, is seriously ill from typhoid fever; and the little baby, only a few weeks old, is not expected to live.

PIONEERS' ANNUAL MEETING.—Hon. J. W. Nesmith, president of the Oregon Pioneers Association, announces that the directors and officers of the association will hold their annual meeting at Salem Thursday, February 21.

FIGHT OVER FISH.—Since the cold spell set in the river in front of the city has been frequented by large numbers of "fish ducks," attracted probably by the fact that the river is kept open, the fishing is good, and they are not molested by hunters. Yesterday forenoon a large number of them were busy fishing in the river off the Ash street dock. Their motions could be plainly seen through a glass. Down would go a duck here and another there, and after what seemed a long time to the watcher up they came, and in nearly every instance each with a fish in its bill. A crowd of hungry gulls who could not dive were on the watch, and, the moment a duck came to the surface three or four gulls would pounce down upon him and strive to take the fish from him. They succeeded in many instances, but in most cases the duck, while being chased, managed to slip the fish down his throat. When a gull did get a fish away from a duck all the other gulls went for him, and sometimes several gulls would have hold of a fish at once. It was lots of fun for the gulls, but very trying to the fish, and must have been extremely exasperating to the ducks. Parties watching entered keenly into the spirit of the thing, and when a duck came up with a fish he would be shouted at to swallow it, which if he succeeded in doing there would be cries of "good duck," and "well done," but if a piratical gull seized a fish a chorus of groans was heard. Present indications are that we shall soon be rid of ducks, gulls and ice, and then the boys will pay their respects to the fish.

KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED.—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Peter Johnson and Alexander Anderson were in friendly company, when the former turned upon the latter, knocking him down and robbing him. They were walking along Second street between B and C, and Anderson was considerably intoxicated. Johnson had no difficulty in leading Anderson from the sidewalk into an alley way, where the crime was committed. Two women passing by saw the whole affair. Johnson ran up the street as soon as he finished the robbery, while the women reported to the police. Later in the evening special detectives Belcher and Hartman got on Johnson's track, and in a short time effected his capture. The stolen money was found in the prisoner's pocket when he was brought to the station.

FELL AMONG THIEVES. Yesterday John Adams was enticed into Sam Neville's gambling den and not long afterward some of the habitues of the place raised a row. During the mock melee several men jumped upon Adams knocking him down, and while upon the floor his pocket was picked, the thieves taking over a hundred dollars. Probably the victim would not allow himself to be fleeced out of his money at the cheating games of cards which Neville has running in his den and the open robbery was the result. Adams made complaint to the police, and later on A. Conkey and Al Jones were arrested, charged with the crime.

BENEFIT LECTURE.—A lecture for the benefit of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was delivered at their hall last evening by Dr. B. A. Owens. The subject chosen was "Heredity," which was treated in a manner to make the lecture both interesting and profitable to all present. A recitation by Miss Bessie Wheeler and music by Prof. Jackson and others added to the enjoyment of the audience.

CONTRACT LET.—The contract for excavating and building the stone foundation for the three-story brick building to be erected by J. W. Cook at the southeast corner of Second and Oak streets has been awarded to Vincent McCullough for $1879. The other bidders were Dominic Cumots, $2150; Richard Martin, $2250; A. McMahon, $1977. Work will commence at once.

SHIPPERS' MAP.—The Northern Pacific Railroad Company have just issued a large, clearly marked map of their entire line, including connections between St. Paul and Chicago. It is accompanied by Rand, McNally & Co.'s guide, wherein every station is indicated by letters and numbers. It is by far the best and most convenient map ever issued of the Northern Pacific.

A CHARITABLE DINNER.—A dinner for the benefit of the poor will be given by Mrs. H. L. Hardy, Mrs. C. B. Hoffman, Mrs. C. Oswald, Mrs. N. Hughey, at the residence of Mr. Hardy, northwest corner of Second and Lincoln streets, on Sunday the 17th, from 5 to 8 P. M. It is to be hoped that a large number will turn out for such a good cause.

PENITENTIARY CONVICTS.

Number of State Prisoners now Confined at Salem, Together with Length of Sentence and Nativity of Each.

The following is a statement of the number of convicts confined in the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem on the first day of February, 1884, together with the length of the term for which each man is sentenced and his nativity:

Six months term, 1; one year, 27; one year and a half, 1; two years, [illegible]; three years, 42; four years, 18; five years, 14; six years, 15; seven years, 14; eight years, 2; nine years, 2; ten years, 11; twelve years, 4; fifteen years, 3; twenty years, 2; twenty-four years, 1; thirty years, 1; life, 10; total, [illegible].

Nativity: Arkansas, 1; Missouri, 6; Oregon, 18; Connecticut, 3; Massachusetts, 7; Pennsylvania, 13; California, 25; Michigan, 2; Rhode Island, 2; District of Columbia, 1; Maine, 2; South Carolina, 2; Iowa, 4; Maryland, 1; Tennessee, 1; Illinois, 13; Mississippi, 1; Virginia, 1; Indiana, 1; Nebraska, 2; Wisconsin, 3; Kentucky, 8; New Jersey, 3; Washington territory, 2; Kansas, 1; New York, 25; China, 27; Louisiana, 2; North Carolina, 1; Minnesota, 1; Ohio, 8; other countries, [illegible]; total, [illegible].

BRIEF MENTION.

The Pacific express arrived last evening, twelve hours behind time.

At 2 o'clock this morning the weather had moderated very much, and snow was falling.

Roller skating at the pavilion as usual this afternoon and evening. Music in the evening.

T. Howard of Salem, left on the steamer for San Francisco last evening, to attend Heald's business college.

L. E. Judson, not J. W. Justice, was the gentleman who took the prize for the best sustained character, "a tinker," at the Veteran Guard masquerade.

Anything to turn an honest penny seems to be the order of things among many men who are willing, and groups of woodsawyers are more frequently seen now than formerly.

Policeman Beyer lost his star on Wednesday, near the corner of Washington and Second streets, while assisting in taking the notorious Billy [illegible] to jail. He would be pleased to have the finder restore it.

The sidewalk in front of David Cole & Co.'s, First street, near Taylor, was blockaded yesterday with the bankrupt stock of Penn & Maddox, dealers in stoves and tinware, which has been bought at a low figure.

Sixteen delegates have been elected by the Baptist church of this city to represent that body in the State Temperance Alliance, which meets in this city on Wednesday next.

About 4 o'clock yesterday morning two men smashed a pane of glass in a show case in front of Kirk Sheldon's hardware store, corner Morrison and Front streets, and made off with some cutlery that was there exhibited. The damage, including larceny and breakage, is about $10.

Rev. Dr. Marvin's subject at the Congregational church to-morrow evening is "Romanism and the Growth of Infidelity." The recent turn of European politics as well as the visit of Mgr. Capel to this country will add interest to the subject the doctor has chosen.

THE EAST SIDE.

Relief H. and L. Co., of the first ward, hold a special meeting this evening at the usual place for the transaction of important business. A full attendance is desired.

D. H. Hendee, the artist, was yesterday called upon to take a post mortem photograph of the unfortunate Johnny DeBoest, no likeness of him being possessed by the family.

The meeting to consider ways and means of improving the base line road from East Portland to Mount Tabor takes place at the Mount Tabor school house this evening at 7 o'clock.

Plympton Kelly, of Powell's valley, dislocated his jaw while gaping yesterday morning, an affliction, it appears, he is subject to. Dr. Day Rafferty reduced the dislocation. Better keep his jaw in a sling.

Tickets are out for the ball to be given by the Third ward H. and L. Co. for the benefit of distressed families in Stephens' addition. The cases are deserving and the efforts of the firemen demand all possible encouragement. The affair takes place on the 20th inst. and Mr. Shute has generously donated his hall for the occasion.

EAST PORTLAND PULPITS.

M. E. church, Rev. H. P. Wilson pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

First Baptist church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M., by Rev. A. J. Hunsaker. Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

First Presbyterian church, Rev. D. O. Ghormley, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30.

St David's Episcopal church, Rev. John W. Sellwood rector—Services at 11 A. M and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9:45.

Congregational church, Holladay's addition, Rev. A. W. Bower pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30.

OUTGOING PASSENGERS.

The Columbia sailed at midnight with the following passengers:

H S Campbell
W H Sargent
H Curry
H C Campbell
J H Smith
Miss Haskell
Mrs G D Wight & ch
T Beattie
Mrs Beard
Mrs Stevenson
A Boyd
Mrs Emma Conroy
Geo Chapman
J A Richards
J Lettie
M Gillespie
J Metzinger
Steve Taylor
John L Sullivan
T Howard
C M Osborne
Mr Breed
E Eddings
Mrs S E Cooper & dtr
E P Johnson
Geo Smith
M Weil
J Eastman
G Logan and daughter
G P Fay
Bobby Gaylor
Isaac Simmons
H P Gould
Geo Fisher
Wm Courtwright
T B Dixon
Gus Exley
W J Robinson
C H Bigelow
Mrs Roseman
J Fergus and wife
J T Kane
H Howe
W E Reed
Miss Maggie William
Wm Muldoon
W Murphy
F Augustine
H Bank
Mrs Blanche Dixon
M Jansen
John Phillips
C Mohler
J Conrad
M M Harris
H Curry
H J Barnett
Jas A Allison, and 80 in steerage.

A Lyons
J W Wright
J C Cleary
Fred Stout
J Kern
Mr Haskell wf & 3 ch
P Fairbank
Jos Hunn
Mrs P Melville & ch
Mrs Caroll
J Asher
Miss Mary Garrel
T A Avery
John Corkish
F Brown
Al Smith
H A Slade
Pete McCoy
F Moran
F P Swazee
J T Triest
Mr Morford & wf
S E Eddings
H W Monaster
D Degraff & wf
H Bloomer
Steve Martin
J M Baird
H C Wyatt and wife
P L Dodson
C M Gould
Frank Weller
Al Rowland
H Roberts
D R Hawkins
Burton Stanley
Chas Gollinger
A McPherson
Bridget Gallagher
C Martin
J A Pendleton and wife
W T Glascock
T D Porter
L J Cooper
Miss Alice Smith
Frank Green
T Strumble
J A Dont
I Haight
Mrs Helen Tabor
L M Coons
Ralph Hamilton
H Black
John Cambree
E W Sherwood
F Sherwin
J K Ridgeway

THE YENKE MURDER.

Fourth Day of the Trial of J. W. Murray, Indicted for the Crime.

THE DEFENSE PROPOSE TO PROVE INSANITY.

The Jury Visit the Scene of the Murder—Tedious Argument as to the Admissibility of Certain Evidence.

Every seat in the state circuit courtroom was again occupied yesterday morning when court reconvened in the Murray trial, but the aisles were not blocked with people and much better order prevailed than upon the day before. Another order of the court, which was likewise enforced, was to the effect that no one should be allowed to retire from the court room during the examination of a witness, and by this means something like silence was obtained.

During the noon recess the jury visited the scene of the murder and saw where the murderer had been concealed behind a fence and had rested his gun across a post only a few feet away from Yenke when the fatal shot was fired. During the afternoon session the prosecution rested their case and the defense wished to make a little statement to the jury of what they proposed to prove, but this was ruled out by the court. A witness was then placed upon the stand and the questions put to him quickly showed that the plea of the defense was insanity. The state's attorney, in rather a lengthy argument, objected to the introduction of this man's testimony and this point, though partially ruled upon by the court, was still pending when it adjourned for the day. Upon the solution of this question undoubtedly hangs the life of the prisoner Murray. About a score of witnesses, who have known Murray intimately, believe him to be insane and are ready to swear to that belief.

Messrs. Coy and Gatens, his attorneys, seem to be well posted upon every legal point that comes up. They have given the case thorough attention and are defending it with ability and care. The demeanor of Murray in the court room seems to bear out the statement that he is insane. When brought up from the jail, he sinks listlessly into his chair. With one hand resting on his cheek, he sits in one position all the time the court is in session and gazes abstractedly into nothingness. Apparently, he takes little or no interest in the trial, but the jailer says there is not a single word that escapes him.

Mrs. Murray's testimony having been excluded entirely, she was not present yesterday nor even near the courthouse.

THE TESTIMONY.

The first witness, A. B. Stewart, was sworn and testified: Am assistant coroner. I recognize this vest (exhibited in court) as the one Alfred Yenke had on when lying dead in the morgue; examined wound and found two shot holes; four ribs were shattered, counted fifty-two shot holes; wound was in left side; assisted Dr. Plummer to take out a couple of shots. Cross examination—Nothing especially different was shown.

E. J. Dougherty called to the stand, said: Am jailer of this county; am acquainted with J. W. Murray; only shoes I saw Murray wear were those shoes now worn by him, number six or six and a half. Cross examination—Have no other means of knowing size of defendant's shoes except by comparison with my own.

Miss Clara Dougherty recalled. She was asked whether or not after the officers took Murray away she saw any shoes. Here the defendant objected to the question as being immaterial and irrelevant, and a long argument ensued, the prosecution insisting that the shoes in question were covered with soil, mud, same as that at spot where Yenke was killed. Witness resumed: A tall, dark complected man came on Monday or Tuesday and asked for Murray's clothes. He got a coat, vest, etc., and a pair of shoes we found under the bed. They were pretty muddy with a white clay. He had always worn them for his best shoes.

Cross examination: Have not been in the habit of examining Mr. Murray's shoes. I know that he changed his shoes between 7 and 8 o'clock.

"Do you know Mrs. Murray well?" was asked by the defense and opposed by the prosecution, as not having been touched upon in direct examination.

The court decided question should be answered.

Witness answered yes; have known her ten months, and knew Yenke by sight; haven't seen Mrs. Murray but twice since January 6. Saw her previous to that frequently. Have been at parties with her; once at Turners' hall. Murray was there. Mrs. Murray came with Oliver Terry and his wife.

Caples here stated that the prosecution had only one or two more witnesses to examine and moved that the jury be allowed to go in charge of the bailiff up First and Second, Hooker and Clay streets, and look carefully over the ground, the locality itself where the shooting was done. Attention was called to the statute, it was stated that the point was close by and convenient.

Defense objected, because from the testimony adduced it was unnecessary to do so. None of the circumstances of the shooting, nor that an actual shooting had taken place was denied.

The court allowed the application, and it was ordered that no one be allowed to speak to the jurors while making the examination.

This was at 11:30, and an adjournment was effected till 1:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Leo Strassman testified to hearing a man who was talking to [illegible] making threats, and he said I have seen the prisoner, Murray. I think I recognize him as the man.

Conrad [illegible], the bar keeper at the saloon where [illegible] and Murray were drinking together the night before the murder, testified to this fact, but could not say he had heard any threats made by Murray, although he had paid no attention to the men. Upon cross-examination he said he thought he should have heard such threats had they been made.

The prosecution here rested their case.

Mr. Coy, of counsel for the defense, asked the court for permission to state the case to the jury, urging that new points had arisen, on account of which justice to his client demanded such a statement.

District Attorney Caples opposed this strenuously, and when the court asked him if he had any serious objection, he answered:

"Yes, your honor; indeed I have."

Judge Smith thereupon stated at some length the provisions of the statute in regard to the matter and overruled the application. To this ruling counsel took exceptions.

J. R. Lyon, the first witness for the defense, was then called to the stand and sworn. He testified that he had known Murray five or six years and had worked for him.

The question as to Murray's actions, personal appearance, etc., brought forth another objection from Mr. Caples, and thereupon Mr. Coy took occasion to state to the court and to the jury that Murray had been, was, and is now insane, and this was what they proposed to prove. The court, however, sustained the objection. A question as to whether the witness knew the prisoner's character as to peace and veracity met with same fate. He was allowed to say that his general reputation, however, was good. A question as to the prisoner's mental temperament met with another objection and was not answered.

"Have you seen a great deal of Murray lately?" asked Mr. Coy.

"For the last six months I have seen a great deal of him," replied the witness.

"For the last six months, what is your opinion of the soundness or unsoundness of his mind as to his sanity or insanity?"

This question was also objected to by the prosecution on the ground of the witness' incompetency. An argument upon this point ensued, occupying nearly an hour upon each side. The counsel for the defense, Mr. Coy, cited a number of good authorities showing that friends and acquaintances of a man had frequently been allowed to testify as to his insanity, regardless of any peculiar study that may have fitted them to judge as an expert.

The court overruled the objection of the prosecution, and the stenographer, C. R. Baldwin, read the question again to the witness. It was promptly met by another objection from Mr. Mulkey, who this time claimed that the question was irrelevant, as not being confined to the subject matter of the killing.

Several authorities were submitted upon this point, and pending its further discussion court adjourned until this morning at half-past 9 o'clock.

MILITARY AND PERSONAL.

Major G. G. Hunt, First Cavalry, has returned to Fort Boise.

Captain G. C. Smith, of the Q. M. department, awaiting orders, was in the city this week.

General O. D. Greene returned on Tuesday from San Francisco, where he went on a flying trip.

A burning chimney at Colonel Morrow's quarters caused an alarm of fire at the garrison on Monday evening.

Sergeant Keneely, lately stationed at Vicksburg, has reported for duty at the Rose City station of the U. S. signal service.

Dr. Towne and Lieutenant Goethals gave a party at their quarters on Tuesday evening, which was largely attended by the officers of the post and their families.

Captain J. A. Haughey, Twenty-first infantry, who has been confined to his bed for some days, is, we are glad to state, on the road to speedy restoration to his usual good health.

John Corless, the boss packer and master of transportation by pack train in government employ, leaves this week for Fort Colville, to take charge of the government transportation stock, now wintering at that place.

A gymnasium fitted up completely with all the necessary apparatus for such an institution, is among the latest improvements at the post. A bowling alley is attached, and will, with the other, furnish the enlisted men with plenty of recreation.

General and Mrs. N. A. Miles entertained the officers and ladies of the garrison at their quarters on Friday evening. A good portion of the general's spacious quarters was given up to dancing, the music of which was furnished by the orchestra of the 21st Infantry band. After supper the German was danced, led by Lieut. Kernan and Miss Katie Greene. The entertainment was pronounced a very enjoyable one by all who participated.

Favorable.

Parties making their marks down town, with good city references, can open accounts from 30 to 60 days. [illegible], the leader.

Wasa' Hair Store and Butterick's Patterns removed to No. 83 Yamhill st., one door from Fourth st.

S. M. BAKE
Is now holding a clearance sale of his entire stock of boots and shoes, worth $15,000. 113 Third st.

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Go to Keith's for oysters.

If you want money to pay your bills, call on your Uncle, at 1st First st.

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Skates ground and sharpened at Jno. Barbey's, 82 Yamhill, between First and Second.

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Honey, quince, flaxseed, fig drops, horehound drops, Iceland moss, at P. O. Candy Store.

Choice brands of wines, liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolitan corner First and Alder.

Take Dr. Henley's Celery, Beef and Iron while you can, for it adds twenty years to the life of man.

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DEATH OF JOHNNY DE BOEST.

Sad Result of a Quarrel Between Brothers.

The fears entertained concerning Johnny De Boest of East Portland, were realized about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, when he passed away quietly and without a struggle. During the earlier part of the night he had been somewhat restless, but later became perfectly calm, until finally a suspicious rattle in his throat alarmed his watchers, Eugene For[illegible], Frank Hatchel, Johnny Houle and Del. Ross. His father was at once aroused, but before he could reach the bedside of his son, he had breathed his last. The immediate cause of his death was paralysis, produced by compression of the brain. The origin of the cause producing this fatal effect was, as previously chronicled, a severe blow on the left side of the head, administered with a boot by his elder brother, Tenis, during a quarrel on Sunday morning last. It appears the boys slept in a room at the rear of the saloon kept by their father, John De Boest, on Fourth street, and Tenis aroused his brother at an early hour in the morning to assist him in cleaning out the saloon, this arrangement being customary with them. Johnny, however, who had been out late the night previous, became irritated at being aroused so soon after retiring, and refused to get up, whereupon Tenis essayed to compel him to do so by physical force. Johnny stoutly resisted, calling his brother hard names, and jumping up on the bed, caught him by the throat. It was at this stage of the altercation that Tenis seized his boot and struck the blow that has resulted fatally. The heel of the boot came in contact with his head with great force, producing a scalp wound about one and a half inches in length, and also a slight indentation of the skull. Hostilities ceased at this juncture, and Johnny proceeded to Dr. Day Rafferty, who sewed up and dressed the wound. There was slight inflammation, but the wound was not considered dangerous. He did not at first suffer great inconvenience from the wound, and appeared about town the greater part of Sunday in apparently his usual spirits, referring to his misfortune merely in a jocular manner when occasion offered. The affair, however, produced a disinclination on his part to return home, and he repaired to the residence of a friend in Holladay's addition, and nothing more was heard of the case until Tuesday, when Dr. Day Rafferty was hastily sent for. He then found the condition to be serious in the extreme, the internal extravasation of blood having commenced its deadly work. His father, being notified, at once procured a carriage and conveyed him home. From this time he gradually grew worse with the result above stated. The best medical advice was enlisted in the case, but it had passed beyond human skill to remedy. The family are completely prostrated and almost distracted by the deplorable event, and in their anguish they have the sincere sympathy of the community. Coroner Cooke promptly responded to the call, but the facts of the case being generally known, and corroborated by the testimony of the attending physicians, he deemed it unnecessary to hold an inquest. The funeral will take place from the residence, corner of Seventh and D streets, to-day at 2 o'clock, Rev. John W. Sellwood, of the Episcopal church, officiating. Deceased was aged 17 years.

SALEM NOTES.

FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.

SALEM, Feb. 15.

Hon. Warren Cranston, of the Waldo Hills, is on the sick list.

Wheat is only 80 cents per bushel and little or none being offered for sale.

Protection lodge No. 2, A. O. U. W., initiated two new members last evening.

Hon. P. H. D'Arcy, city recorder, is busily engaged in taking the city assessment.

The ladies of the M. E. church will have a basket sociable on Tuesday evening next.

Mrs. Edward Hirsch and her daughters Stella and Ella are visiting friends in Portland.

The Marion county grand jury paid the state departments an official visit this morning.

A wedding in high life is on the tapis and will be consummated in this city at an early day.

It commenced snowing at 6 o'clock and has continued without cessation up to the hour of writing.

Roger Sullivan, a patient at the insane asylum, died yesterday. He has been there but a short time.

Hugo Muhlendorf, representing Henry Stell of San Francisco, is in the city with apartments at the Reed hotel.

We hear the name of [illegible] favorably mentioned as a candidate for the office of sheriff of this county. M. G. Harbord is also an aspirant for the office.

Justice Coffey made two couples happy yesterday by pronouncing them man and wife, viz: David Weaver and [illegible], and Charles A. White and Miss Annie McClure.

His excellency, the governor, has made proclamation that the amendment to the state constitution granting women the right of suffrage, will be submitted to the legal voters of the state for ratification or rejection at the general election, to be held on the 2d day of June, 1884.

William Osborne responded yesterday to the call of the [illegible] and left the custody of the prison authorities to answer to the crime of manslaughter before the tribunal above. He was sent up, about one year ago, for twelve years from Union county and will serve the remainder of his sentence in another world.

In answer to an inquiry made by the present grand jury, His honor, J. J. Shaw, yesterday decided that the grand jury had no jurisdiction over the city by-law within the corporate limits of the city of Salem, and such cases could only come before that court upon appeal from the recorder's court below. The Statesman this morning takes exception to the ruling of the court.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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L. M. Sargent and wife to M. L. Lindsley, lot 20, block 21, Albina, Feb. 12; $275.

QUIT CLAIMS.

C. M. Rohr and wife to M. L. Lindsley, lot 20, block 21, Albina, Feb. 12; $1.

J. P. Colby and wife to L. F. Grover—the southeast quarter of block 16, Carter's addition to Portland, Sept. 13, 1883; $1.

Thomas Carter and wife to Nancy Elizabeth Grover, 125 acres in the Carter donation land claim, Feb. 13; $1.

Housekeepers throughout the country have been using Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder for a generation, and have ever found it as pure and good as the wheat it raises so splendidly. Housekeepers do not care to experiment when experience has proven that they have found a good article—as Dr. Price's Cream Powder, they will stand by it.

A False Charge.

The "Northwest News" of Feb. 11th contains an item reflecting severely on me. The statement that I failed to provide for my wife is false, and I have written proof in support of this fact. The statement that I treated my wife with cruelty is also untrue. The item was inserted through malice by a certain interested party. I offer a reward of $100 for the arrest and detention of J. W. Cranston, of Hailey, Idaho, formerly of Mitchell, Oregon. A warrant for his apprehension is now in the hands of an officer. J. R. LYON.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

BURNETT'S COCOAINE,
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FROZEN TO DEATH.

Gabriel Conroy, Crossing the Columbia, Breaks Through the Ice. He is Rescued from the Water, but Perishes Before the Shore is Reached.

Through a dozen different sources, word reached this city yesterday that a man, while attempting to cross the Columbia river from Vancouver on the ice, had broken through and lost his life. Full particulars of the accident and the circumstances attending it were furnished THE OREGONIAN by a letter from a friend at Vancouver.

About 5 o'clock on the evening of Wednesday a man whose name is believed to be Daniel Conroy, wishing to go from Vancouver to Portland, started across the Columbia river upon the ice. When about two-thirds of the way across, the treacherous ice, in which there were many air holes just skimmed over, gave way and the man was precipitated into the water. By clinging to the thicker ice at the edge of the hole he was able to keep his head and shoulders out, but could do no more toward saving himself.

Some people on the Vancouver shore saw him go down and four brave men, Alfred Miller, T. Dunn, Emil Haney and M. F. Wilson, started to the rescue. While on their feet they could not get near enough to the hole to safely aid the man, so they all lay down on the ice, one holding to the feet of the other, and thus forming a living chain, they crawled slowly out to the man in the water, who was now so thoroughly benumbed as to be completely helpless. With much difficulty they succeeded in lifting him out upon the firm ice. He was able to stand upon his feet, and all started back for the shore. They had not gone more than fifty feet, however, when the rescued man, who had been chilled to the heart by his long immersion in the icy waters of the Columbia, gave out entirely and sank down helpless upon the frozen surface.

He was urged to rouse himself and push on, but did not respond, but merely asked his rescuers how many of them there were. A few minutes later he murmured "Oh, God!" and then became unconscious. Three of the men picked him up and carried him to the Vancouver side, the fourth in the meantime going ahead and sounding the way on the ice with a pole. By this time it was quite dark, which made the passage over the ice very perilous, but they finally reached the shore in safety. Here quite a crowd was collected. Messrs. Wilson and Smith worked nearly two hours endeavoring to bring back to life the frozen man, but all in vain, for he had been dead some time when the shore was reached.

The four men who went to his rescue are heroes, and too high terms cannot be used in speaking of their noble conduct. No greater act of true heroism could be performed than to thus hazard their lives by setting out at dusk to brave every danger of treacherous ice in the hope of rescuing a perishing fellow-creature.

On the person of the deceased was found discharge papers from the 21st infantry, made out to Daniel Conroy. Hence it is believed that that was his name. It is rumored in Vancouver that he had a wife in Portland, where he was anxious to go that fatal night. A coroner's jury had been summoned, and an inquest was to have been held yesterday, but the result of it has not yet been learned here.

THE WEATHER.

Milder Temperature All Around, but the Lower River Almost Blockaded.

Yesterday's weather as compared with any day since last Sunday was comfortable. About 2 o'clock the mercury was up to 33 degrees, and at 8 P. M. had dropped only to 27. There was marked moderation in temperature east, west and south, and strong indications of snow, though no sign of rain. Bulletins from all telegraphic points in the Inland Empire at 5 P. M. showed the weather cloudy and calm, foreshadowing snow. The thermometer stood as follows: Riparia 15, Walla Walla 11, Pendleton 13, Meacham's, [illegible], Umatilla, The Dalles and Hood river, each 20. At Meacham's it was snowing and a south wind prevailed.

RIVER NEARLY BLOCKADED.

The river steamer Mountain Queen left here on time yesterday morning, reached Kalama after much difficulty at 1:30 and left for Astoria at 4:15. Running the river in the darkness, with so much ice, being impossible, she laid up at Oak Point for the night at 6 o'clock.

The S. G. Reed reached Astoria yesterday morning at 1:30, having been detained by the snow and darkness near Kalama. She left up at 5 A. M. and passed Kalama at 2:30 P. M. All the way up she rendered assistance to the down boat, and about dark reached the head of Sauvie's Island where she stuck in the ice. She had not forced her way through at midnight.

Whether the Columbia will be able to get down to Astoria is doubtful, and the only way to find out is to try it. She probably did not leave her dock till daylight.

TO-DAY'S PROSPECTS.

The barometer at 8 o'clock last night marked 29.47, over fifty hundredths below the [illegible] point. At Roseburg the barometer was much higher and there was light rain. At Sacramento the wind was in the south, but not strong enough to reach Oregon. It is reasonably certain that the back bone of the cold spell is broken, and that we may look for rain early this week.

A HINT TO SOCIETIES.

To the Editor of THE OREGONIAN:

[illegible] of Portland, I would like to call the attention of the different orders to the fact that it is [illegible]
A [illegible] BROTHER.

PERSONAL.

Capt. [illegible] of the police force is very sick as also his wife and child.

Dr. T. B. [illegible] was on the street yesterday feeling much improved in health.

From Maine to California.

[illegible] of the [illegible] one of the most widely read religious papers, [illegible] after having visited nearly every state and territory in the Union he is pleased to indorse St. Jacobs Oil as a wonderful pain relieving and healing remedy. He cites remarkable cures.

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THE COURTS.

FRIDAY, Feb. 15.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

Heinrich vs. Pullman Palace Car Company—Demurrer to part of hearing set for hearing Monday, Feb. 18.

Goldsmith vs. Balch et al.—Motion to strike out parts of complaint argued and submitted.

Adjourned till 10 A. M. Monday.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SMITH, J.

Harris et al. vs. Bybee et al.—Motion to vacate writ and for case to answer withdrawn.

Stephens vs. Allen et al.—Mandate of S. C. filed.

Walling vs. Walling—Same.

Bank of Oregon vs. Bryant—Demurrer withdrawn and leave to plead answer.

POLICE COURT—MORELAND, J.

Thomas Callen, abusive language; dismissed.

Mat Morgan—Selling liquor without a license.

Mike Brown, [illegible], James Calvert, Joseph Irving—Drunk and disorderly; fined $10 each.

Phil Sanders—Assault with a dangerous weapon; continued to the 19th.

Joseph Haley—Obtaining money under false pretenses.

Frank Harvey—Assault and battery; fined $25.

EUGENE NOTES.

FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.

EUGENE, Feb. 15.

A. D. Goodman of Independence is in town.

The meetings at the M. E. church are discontinued.

Dr. A. L. Lindsley, of your city, is here and is assisting Dr. Geary in his evening services at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. G. F. Craw has retired from the firm of Smith & Co., and the business will now be conducted under the firm name of Swift & [illegible].

Last Monday morning there were four inches of snow here, with the thermometer at 6 degrees below zero. Tuesday the temperature was the same. Wednesday and Thursday mornings the thermometer stood at 2 degrees below zero. Yesterday (Thursday) one of the snow went off, but this morning there is a fresh fall of six inches depth. The people of our city have been enjoying a good skating season—a rare treat for them.

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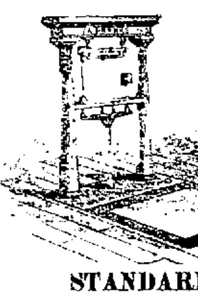

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ACTION FOR INJURY TO PERSON.

U. S. District Court, District of Oregon.

Monday, February 8, 1884.

Lung Chung, administrator of the estate of Lung Ban, deceased, v. The Northern Pacific Ry Co.—No. 937. Action for injury to the person. Motion to set aside the service of a summons.

Sarah Buchanan v. The Northern Pacific Ry Co.—No. 933. Same.

(1) RIGHT TO APPEAR SPECIALLY. A defendant in an action upon whom a summons has been served illegally, may appear therein specially, for the purpose of having such illegal service set aside; and there is nothing in §§ 61 and 520 of the Or. Code of C. P. derogatory of such right.

(2) ACTION IN NATIONAL COURTS. Subdivision 1 of § 54 of said code, when applied to actions in the national courts, must be construed as if the word "county" read "district."

(3) CORPORATION—SERVICE OF SUMMONS ON. In an action against a corporation in the U. S. Circuit Court for the district of Oregon, if the summons is served under said subdivision 1 of § 54, on any agent of the defendant other than its president, secretary, cashier or managing agent, unless it appears that the cause of action arose in the district, such service is illegal, and will be set aside on the application of the defendant.

(4) CAUSE OF ACTION—WHEN AND WHERE IT ARISES. A cause of action given by statute to an administrator to recover damages for the death of his intestate arises out of such death and where it occurred; and not the appointment of the administrator or the place where it was made.

DEADY, J.:

These actions are each brought to recover damages for an injury to the person, caused by the negligence and misconduct of the defendant.

In Lung Chung's case, it appears from the complaint, that on June 21, 1883, Lung Ban was at work on the grade of defendant's road, in Montana, about ten miles to the westward of Herron's Siding, when he was killed by the wrecking of a train, on which he was being carried from the place where he was working, to the camp of the contractors, On Chung Wa Co., under whom he was employed; and that on November 23, 1883, the county court of Multnomah county, Oregon, granted letters of administration upon the estate of the deceased to the plaintiff, who is a citizen of China.

In Buchanan's case, it appears that the plaintiff is a citizen of Nevada, and that on February 13, 1883, he was at work for the defendant, as a carpenter, repairing bridges, on the line of its road in Washington territory, when by the falling of timbers from a platform car, he had his arm and wrist broken, and was otherwise injured.

In each case it appears that the defendant is a corporation formed under a law of the United States; and in Buchanan's case it also appears that its principal place of business is at New York; while in Lung Chung's case, it is also alleged that the defendant was so organized for the purpose of constructing and operating a railway from Minnesota to Oregon and Washington territory; of all which, except the place of business, the court takes judicial notice.

A summons was duly issued in each case, and from the return of the marshal thereon, it appears that not being able to find the president, secretary, cashier or managing agent of the defendant in this district, he served the summons on Homer D. Sanborn, "the purchasing agent" of the defendant herein.

The defendant now moves to set aside the service of the summons in each case, having given the plaintiffs written notice of its appearance for that purpose; and by consent of parties the motions are heard together.

And first, the counsel for the plaintiff in Buchanan's case, insists that the defendant cannot appear for this purpose only—that it must either appear fully and without reserve or not at all—citing §§ 61 and 520 of the Or. Code of C. P.

By the first of these sections it is provided in effect, that a voluntary appearance of the defendant, shall, for the purpose of giving the court jurisdiction, be equivalent to a personal service of the summons;" while the latter declares, that: "A defendant appears in an action or suit when he answers, demurs or gives the plaintiff written notice of his appearance; and until he does so appear, he shall not be heard in such action or suit or in any proceeding pertaining thereto, except the giving of the undertakings allowed to the defendant in the provisional remedies of arrest, attachment and the delivery of personal property."

Section 61 contemplates, of course, a full and unqualified appearance, and declares the effect of it on the jurisdiction of the court; but it has no bearing on the question whether a defendant has a right to make a qualified appearance for a special purpose, as to set aside an attachment or the service of a summons.

Now, an appearance under said § 520, by delivering a demurrer or answer to the complaint, is in the nature of things an unqualified appearance. There is only one other way for a defendant to appear, and that is by giving the plaintiff written notice thereof.

And the question is, can that appearance be something short of a general appearance and for a particular purpose? There is nothing in the code to the contrary. The statute says the defendant may appear by a written notice. This does not necessarily imply a full appearance or exclude a qualified one. If the defendant desires, in the language of the statute, to appear, not to the action, but in a "proceeding pertaining thereto," why may he not? and what is there in § 520 or the nature of the proceeding to prevent it?

The right to appear specially and move to set aside the service of a summons is one thing, and the allowance of the motion is another. When the summons or the service thereof is merely defective or wanting in some matter of form or method which does not affect the substantial rights of the defendant, the motion to set aside will be disallowed or a counter motion allowed, to amend.

But where the service is unlawful and cannot give the court jurisdiction of the defendant, it ought to be set aside or quashed; and unless the party upon whom it is made is allowed to appear for that purpose, he must run the risk of having a judgment given against him for want of an answer, in a case where it may be, there is no appeal, and if there was, the illegality of the service is not apparent on the face of the record.

In Lyman v. Milton, 44 Cal., 635 and Kent v. West, 50 Cal., 185, it was held in the one case that a party was entitled to appear specially and move to set aside the service of an illegal summons and in the other, to set aside the illegal service of a legal summons, and further, that the wrongful denial of such motion was an error that was not waived by the defendant's subsequent appearance and trial of the case.

To the same effect is the case of Harkness v. Hyde, 98 U. S., 476, in which it was held that the service of a summons from a district court in Idaho, upon a defendant while on an Indian reservation, from which the jurisdiction of the court was by law excluded, was unlawful, and that the defendant was entitled to appear specially, to have such illegal service set aside; and further, that the error committed in denying the motion to set aside, was not waived by the defendant's subsequent appearance and submission to a trial of the cause.

The cases under consideration are within the rulings made in these cases, and I see nothing in this code to take them out of it. Nothing less that the express language of a statute or the necessary implication therefrom would be construed by any court of justice as forbidding or preventing a party to appear in an action for the purpose of having the service of a summons set aside, on the ground that it was illegally served upon him—not in manner but in substance—and under such circumstances as not to give the court any jurisdiction of his person or authority to proceed to judgment against him.

By the act of 1875 (18 Stat., 470,) it is provided, that no civil suit shall be brought before any circuit court against any person by any original process or proceeding in any other district than that whereof he is an inhabitant or in which he shall be found at the time of serving such process or commencing such proceeding," saving certain exceptions not now material.

Whether the defendant is an "inhabitant" of this district, within the meaning of this act, need not now be considered. If it is such inhabitant it cannot be brought before this court as a defendant in this action unless by the due service of a summons upon it; nor can it be "found" here for such purpose, only so far as it can be so served here. And in the case we must look to the local law prescribing the method of serving a summons on a corporation, to ascertain what constitutes such service and the effect of it.

The defendant, being a mere legal entity, cannot be directly served with process. From the nature of the case the service must be a substituted one. Generally, it is made upon some natural person for it. This person is usually designated by the local law, upon the theory that his relation to the corporation is such that notice to him will result in notice to it.

By § 54 of the Code of C. P. as amended in 1862 (Ses. L., 37), it is provided that in case of an action against a private corporation, the summons shall be served on "the president or other head of the corporation, secretary, cashier, or managing agent," or in case none of these officers "shall reside or have an office in the county where the cause of action arose, then on any clerk or agent of such corporation who may reside or be found in the county; or if no such officer be found, then by leaving a copy thereof, at the residence or usual place of abode of such clerk or agent."

Allowing that the practice in this court, in this respect, must conform "as near as may be" to the provisions of this section, as provided by § 914, of the R. S., still the word "county," as used therein, must in this court be understood to mean the "district" or territorial limit of the court's jurisdiction.

The defendant, although an inhabitant of this district, cannot be brought before this court in a civil action, unless it is served with a summons in the mode prescribed in this section. If the action is transitory in its character, and service of the summons is made within the district on the president, secretary, cashier or managing agent of the defendant, the court acquires jurisdiction without reference to where the cause of action arose. But, if neither of them can be so served, the action cannot be maintained in the district unless the cause of action arose therein. For the statute, in giving a plaintiff the right to serve a summons against a corporation upon any inferior agent or clerk thereof, where the superior ones cannot be found in the district, limits the same to cases where the cause of action arose in the district.

Now, in each of these cases, the cause of action arose without the district, and therefore the service of the summons thereon, upon an agent of the corporation who does not appear to be its "managing" one, or its secretary, cashier or president, is unauthorized and illegal.

The illegality arises, not from a defect in form or method, but in substance, and is, therefore, incurable. In effect, the law does not, under these circumstances, permit the defendant to be brought before this court, in civil action without its consent, upon a cause of action that arose without the district.

The suggestion of counsel for the plaintiff in Lung Chung's case, that the cause of action ought to be considered as having arisen within the district, because the plaintiff's letters of administration were granted here, is ingenious but not sound. On the contrary, the cause of action arose in Montana, on the death of the deceased—the law of that territory giving an action to his heirs or personal representatives for damages on that account. The plaintiff's right to sue on this cause of action may be said to have originated here, but the grant of administration to him did not create or originate the cause of action, though it gave him a certain control over it.

The motions are allowed, and the service set aside.

Mr. John H. Woodward, for Lung Chung.

Mr. O. P. Mason, for Buchanan.

Mr. Cyrus A. Dolph, for the defendant.

CHINA.

MATTERS AT PEKIN.

PEKIN, Feb. 15.—Torpedoes have been placed in the river here. If Bacninh is attacked members of the French embassy will receive their passports. The approaches to Pekin are guarded with dynamite.

"Couldn't Keep House Without It," is what a New York lady writes about Electro-Silicon, the famous silver polish, "it is very superior to all other articles, and should be used by every housekeeper in the land."

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

Western Oregon.

A few days ago a young man named Gilbert met with a fearful accident. He was out hunting ducks. He had killed a number and finally concluded he would load his gun heavier than usual, and, after so doing, he discovered a flock of birds flying above him. He fired at them, killing two of their number. The gun burst, the pieces of the stock striking him in the face, cutting a gash across the nose and one inch on the cheek, another piece taking effect above the left eye, while a third piece entered the right eye, leaving it in a mangled condition. The thumb on the right hand was cut almost off. The wounds were carefully dressed and at last accounts, Gilbert was doing as well as could be expected.

Rev. P. Alderson, in a communication to the P. C. Advocate, gives the following bit of history concerning the town of Brownsville. He says:

This thriving little town is settled in the foothills on the east side of the Willamette, in Linn county. A beautiful mountain stream known as the Calapooia runs through the center of it. The narrow gauge railroad has a station here. It is six miles east from Halsey, on the wide gauge railroad, and twenty miles southeast of Albany, the county seat. Two families by the names of Kirk and Courtney settled in the neighborhood in 1845. The next year Alexander Kirk, Elias Walters, Jonathan and Elias Keeney, James Blakely and H. L. Brown joined the other two families and made the first settlement. Goods in the shape of merchandise were first brought here in 1851 and put into a log cabin built for that purpose, and sold on commission, Hugh L. Brown acting as merchant; and thus commenced the town which bears his name. Mr. Brown still lives in the place, 73 years of age, hale and strong for a man of his years, but is almost entirely blind. Rev. Hamilton Campbell of the M. E. church preached the first sermon in 1847, and Rev. William Helm preached the same year. The meeting was held in the log house of Alexander Kirk. Rev. H. H. Spaulding of the Presbyterian church preached and taught the first school in 1849, and was also appointed the first postmaster. Rev. Wm. Sperry of the Baptists led the way for that church in 18—, and his son, a very worthy minister, is in charge of the Baptist church here at this time, while his father has long since gone from toil to his reward. The present conditions are nothing like those. The town has now six church buildings, and preaching, with sabbath schools every Sunday. Two day schools which employ five teachers. The town is in a rural district, backed by a farming community, and yet with excellent water-power it manufactures lumber, sash and doors, laths, with a good grist mill, and last but not least, the Brownsville woolen mills. Part of the works run day and night; fifty hands are employed and it turns out over $10,000 worth of goods per month, in the shape of cashmeres, blankets and flannels; mostly shipped to Portland.

Washington Territory.

Father Desari, formerly stationed in Vancouver, is now laboring for the completion of a new Catholic church building at Colfax.

The trustees of the Clarke County Agricultural society will meet in Vancouver on Saturday, February 23, for the purpose of adopting amendments to the articles of incorporation and by-laws, and for the transaction of other important business.

A man by the name of Dooley, living on Cape Horn mountain, Clarke county, was out hunting one day last week, and mistook his boy for a wild cat and shot him, the ball striking him on the head, fracturing his skull. It is thought he will not recover.

RAILROAD NOTES.

NOTES FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Three of the lines comprising the Northwestern traffic association and the Central Iowa traffic association have requested Commissioner Carman to call a meeting at an early day, with a view of settlement of differences and reorganization. The general feeling of the petitioning lines is in favor of reorganizing the association on a basis of the Morey pool.

The general freight agents of the Chicago freight pool, held a secret meeting at Joint Agent Moore's office this afternoon. It is understood that Commissioner Fink telegraphed Moore this morning to ascertain the sentiment of Chicago representatives, regarding a reduction in east bound freight rates. An authentic account of the result of the meeting is not obtainable. It is stated the agents decided to request Moore to inform Fink that they are in favor of maintaining the present schedule of rates.

It is officially announced that W. H. Burns, local agent of the Union Pacific at Council Bluffs, has been appointed general joint agent at that point of all trunk lines in the Western Trunk Line association. Agents of other lines that are members of the Western Trunk Line association are instructed to report to Burns as their superior officer.

GOOD NEWS FOR TACOMA.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—[Special.]—The *Times* says: It is stated the Northern Pacific railway company will begin at once construction of an extension from a point just north of Wallula, on the Columbia river, to Puget sound. Bids for a portion of the work have already been received. San Francisco will be reached from Tacoma by steamers owned and run by the Northern Pacific company. President Harris stated that the tariff agreement between the Northern Pacific and the Oregon Railway and Navigation company had not been abrogated, but simply modified.

CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The Pullman Palace Car company, through its president, George M. Pullman, has notified the stock exchange that it has authorized an additional issue of 10 per cent. capital stock to be issued March 1. The new issue will bring the capital stock up to $15,927,200.

ANNUAL REPORT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The annual report of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad shows gross receipts, $7,174,000; net, $2,732,000.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Rev. Mr. Pierce will hold religious services at Odd hall corner S and Sixteenth streets, on Sunday, 17th at 11 o'clock A. M.

Scandinavian M. E. church, corner of D and Twelfth streets, Rev. C. J. Larsen pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Services at the M. E. church, Hall and Sixth, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. T. L. Sails. Seats free. A cordial invitation to all.

Unitarian church—T. L. Eliot, minister. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday schools at 12:30 and 1:30 P. M. Seats free at all services, and strangers are cordially invited.

First Christian church, corner East Park and Columbia streets—Rev. Clark Davis will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. You are cordially invited.

Livermore chapel—There will be preaching every evening during the coming week in Livermore chapel, Stephens' addition to East Portland, by Rev. J. A. Hollenbaugh of Albany.

Presbyterian mission, Albina, at Villard hall. Pastor, Rev. W. O. Forbes. Preaching at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 2 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Special invitation to strangers.

Norwegian Danish Lutheran service at 2:30 P. M. Sunday, and 7:30 Friday evening in the basement of the Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Washington streets. H. Engh, pastor.

The First Spiritualist Society meets at Temperance hall, over D. W. Prentice's music store, at 2 P. M., and 7 P. M., every Sunday, except 2 P. M., on the first Sunday of every month. Admission free.

A. M. E. Zion Church, corner of Main and Eleventh streets, Rev. T. B. Reed, B. A., pastor, services 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Sunday school 2 P. M. Strangers and residents are cordially invited to attend.

The First Baptist church, corner Fourth and Alder streets—Preaching to-morrow at 11 A. M., by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Hayhurst, also in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sabbath school at close of morning service. Seats free.

United Presbyterian Mission—Durand Music Hall, corner First and Clay, Rev. William R. Stevenson pastor. Services at 11 A. M., Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Strangers are cordially welcomed. The hall has been enlarged, and ample provision made for heating it.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Washington streets—A. Lindsley pastor. Services morning and evening. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Thursday evening, meeting at 7:30. Strangers, and especially young men, cordially invited. Ushers provide seats for all.

The Christadelphians—Meeting at 105½ First street (room No. 6, over Prentice's music store), between Washington and Stark streets. A lecture will be given by Mr. R. C. Bingley on Sunday, at 11 A. M. Subject: "What form of government will meet the wants of man?" Seats free; no collection.

Calvary Presbyterian church, corner Ninth and Clay streets—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Services by the pastor, Rev. E. T. Lee, residence, Ninth and Columbia streets. Congregational singing and free pews. A special effort is made to welcome visitors and strangers.

First Congregational church, corner Second and Jefferson streets. Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Dr. Frederic R. Marvin. Morning subject: "The Spirit of Jesus." Evening subject: "Romanism and the growth of Infidelity." Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M.

Taylor-street M. E. church, Rev. Geo. W. Izer, pastor. Morning discourse 11 A. M., subject—"Christ's Universal Reign." Evening discourse 7:30 P. M. Subject—"The Pious Meditant, or Holy Contemplation." Praise meeting at 6:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:45 P. M. At the evening service, persons desirous of uniting with the church, by certificate, or on probation, will be received. The public is cordially invited to all the services. Ushers will provide seats.

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 15.

Business has dwindled down to the least possible dimensions under the influence of continued cold. It would appear that even immediate needs are somewhat slighted the last two days. Shipping by river is entirely cut off, although the down river boats made the run yesterday. The Oregon will be due from San Francisco to-morrow and the Columbia sails to-night. They may be able to force a passage through the ice. Produce receipts are extremely small and for the past 24 hours consisted only of 75 dry hides, 24 cs eggs, 15,185 lbs hops, 7 bxs fruit, 3 pkgs butter, 60 bbls hay.

Overland receipts include 20 pkgs tobacco, 9 bkts butter, 8 sks seed, 40 bxs starch, 100 bxs candles, 10 tcs hams, 130 bbls lard oil.

The thermometer throughout the eastern section has cleared to zero point, and milder weather prevails. At all points this morning it was cloudy with thermometer at 12 to 14 at all points except Pendleton, Colfax and The Dalles, where it ranged from 6 to 8 and 8. Yesterday's chinook reported from Meacham must have passed overhead. A very few days will see a general break up of cold weather. The Columbia is still gorged with ice above the Willamette, and boats below are delayed, the Mountain Queen, going down, reaching Kalama at 2:30 and the Reed, coming up passing at 1:40.

California reports rain yesterday and to-day, with cold northeast winds. The weather in southern California has been such as to cause great loss of live stock, and present weather is not calculated to improve the condition of stock. Grass forced to a rapid growth is very poor feed, and the cold rains is now forcing it. With the there is no cause for complaint. Additional snow was last night reported up the valley.

FREIGHTS—Reports of the closing of the Jane McNeil for flour were premature, as her agents are authority that she was not fixed at 4 P. M. to-day. Negotiations are pending, however, and will probably result in a transaction to-morrow. The rate being considered is said to be 40s direct. The market is quite full, with no demand and little pressure to charter.

WHEAT—All advices are of less firm tone to-day. The local market is entirely without interest.

HOPS—Shipments are being made on telegraphic orders to day. Buyers have mostly withdrawn from the market, although stocks here are yet fair. Values are more or less nominal at 15@18 cents.

POTATOES—Cold weather has temporarily enhanced values, and while $1 25 is had for choice, yet it is uncertain.

POULTRY—Supplies small, with chickens bringing $5 50@6 00. Ducks and geese in light request at old prices.

EGGS—Receipts liberal, with 40 cents generally had. Mild weather will bring lower prices.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Aberystwith Castle was to leave Honolulu the 8th inst.

The Henry James and Isle of Erin are ready to go down the river.

The Columbia sails to night and the Oregon will be due to-morrow.

The Tam O'Shanter will go down to Rainier as soon as the ice is out of the river.

The Merom has discharged her merchandise and has 400 tons of coal yet to take out.

Vessels considered due are the River Indus from Newcastle, Summer R. Mead from New York and City of Carlisle from Greenock.

Markets by Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.

Weather—8 A. M., raining; rainfall, yesterday at San Francisco 38-100, at Sacramento 60-100, at Los Angeles, 85-100.

6 P. M.—Raining; wind, south; bar. 29.47; rainfall this forenoon, 31-100, at Red Bluff 10-100, at Sacramento, 35-100, at Los Angeles, 1 13-100.

Receipts—Wheat, [illegible] ctls; flour, 4,500 qr sks; oats, [illegible] ctls; potatoes, [illegible] sks; eggs, [illegible] dozen.

Freights—The market is quiet. There is very little inquiry. [illegible] has been [illegible] for Liverpool for wheat and merchandise.

Wheat—Spot weak and lower; sales on call, No. 1 white, spot season's storage paid, $1 [illegible]; seller the year, $1 55; buyer the season, $1 [illegible].

Flour—Weak, in sympathy with wheat. Oregon and Walla Walla nominal at $[illegible].

Barley—Spot dull and weak; buyers expecting lower prices. Feed, [illegible]; futures lower; [illegible].

Oats—Dull with a declining tendency. Asking prices are unchanged.

Potatoes—Market oversupplied, dull and weak; prices unchanged.

Dried Fruit—Prices and general features of the market are unchanged, offerings small.

Green Fruit—Apples, New town pippins, $[illegible]; extra choice [illegible]; market is poorly supplied.

Wool—Steady and quiet.

Hops—Firm, and holders inclined to sell, except at an advance; sale of choice Washington territory at 20 cents bid at 21c.

Eggs—Fresh California firm at an advance, 27@28c.

Butter—Supplies smaller than the demand, market firm at 30@35c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.

May—Wheat lower, $1 [illegible]; pork lower, $[illegible]; lard, [illegible]; short ribs lower, [illegible].

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.

Wheat, irregular; flour, steady; wool, quiet.

BEERBOHM'S FOREIGN BREADSTUFFS REPORT.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, Feb. 15.

Floating cargoes—Buyers hesitate to operate. Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Hardly any demand.

Mark Lane—Slow.

Arrivals off coast—Wheat moderate, maize, none. Weather in England—Colder.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 15.

Spot market—Quiet but steady.

PARIS MARKETS.

PARIS, Feb. 15.

Spot market for wheat and flour—Steady.

MONEY MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Sterling exchange on London banks, sixty days, $4 85; documentary, $4 86.

Transfers—20.

Bank of England rate of interest—3½ per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per fine ounce, 112½.

Sterling exchange, prime banks, long, $4 86½; short, $4 90.

Good commercial, from 1 to 1½c lower documentary, 2 to 2½c lower.

United States bonds—3's, 101; 4½s, 114½; 4s, 124½.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Consols, 101 5-16@101 7-16; money, 101 7-16@101 ½ account.

Silver bullion, English standard, 925 fine, per fine ounce, 51 15-16.

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—Wool in improved demand, stocks of light West Virginia, and above 38 @42; extra, 36@71; medium, 39@40; coarse, 35@36; New York, Michigan, Indiana and western fine, 33 @40, medium [illegible]; coarse, [illegible]; washing, combing and delaine, 35@45; Canada, washed combing, [illegible]; tub washed, [illegible]; unwashed, combing and delaine, 25@31; Oregon, [illegible]; New Mexico and Colorado, [illegible] pulled, [illegible].

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—Wool firm with moderate demand. Ohio and Pennsylvania extras, 35@37½; Michigan, 34@35; combing and delaine, 39@41; combing, pulled, 32@37; western unwashed, 20@28; California spring, 15@29; fall from fair to good spring, 28, choice do, 31@32.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SANDY HOOK, Feb. 15.—Cleared bar 9:30 A. M.—Sh Servia, New York for San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Sailed—Sh Jabez Howes, Baltimore.

PORT DISCOVERY, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Bg Deacon, San Francisco.

PORT GAMBLE, Feb. 14.—Sailed—Sch Neptune, San Francisco.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Bk Atalanta and Okta Cow ta, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Sailed—Br sh Poseidon, Cork; sch Aldrich, Coos bay; str San Jose, Panama; str Alameda, Honolulu. Cleared—Sh Edwin Reed, Puget sound; Br sh Falstaff, Australia.

ASTORIA, Feb. 15.—At 8 A. M. clear; east wind. Str A. B. Field left out at 4:30 P. M. At 6 P. M. nothing moving, weather cloudy; wind east.

CAPE HANCOCK, Feb. 15.—At noon bar smooth; clear; wind SW, velocity 4 miles. Tug Hunter passed in 2 P. M. At 4 P. M. bar smooth; weather clear; wind east, velocity 7 miles.

FOREIGN PORTS.

ASPINWALL, Feb. 13.—Sailed—Str Crescent City, New York.

SYDNEY, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Br sh M. E. Watson and Br John Worster, San Francisco.

FASTNET, Feb. 14.—Passed—Br shs City of York and Northbrook, San Francisco for Queenstown.

THE LIZARD, Feb. 14.—Off—Br sh Euterpe, San Francisco for Queenstown.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Sh Arabia, San Francisco, with bulwarks stove, etc. Sailed—Sh John McDonald, New York.

Jan. 31.—Sailed—Br bk Clan Grant, Honolulu and San Francisco.

HULL, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Br sh Thomas Stephens, San Francisco.

FALMOUTH, Feb. 14.—Arrived—Br sh Melpomone, San Francisco.

SPOKEN.

Dec. 19, lat 4 N lon 26 W.—Br sh Mitredale, Liverpool for San Francisco.

MINING STOCKS REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.

Bodie Con.	7 12	Mexican	2 10
Chollar	2 35	Ophir	1 25
Con. Virginia	[illegible]	Overman	30
Crown Point	1 50	Potosi	40
Eureka Con.	9 75	Savage	50
Exchequer	[illegible]	Sierra Nevada	2 20
Gould & Curry	[illegible]	Union	2 80
Hale and Norcross	1 50	Utah	1 80
Martin White	[illegible]	Yellow Jacket	2 10

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.

OPENING.

Pacific Mail	[illegible]	Northwestern	122⅞
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lake Shore	103⅞
North Pacific com	[illegible]	North Pacific Pref'd	46½
New York Central	117	Transcontinental	20½
Erie	27⅜		

12:30 P. M.

Or. Imp. stock	45	Or. Imp. bonds	73½
O R & N stock	97¼		

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Western Union	76⅝	Transcontinental	21
O R & N	98		

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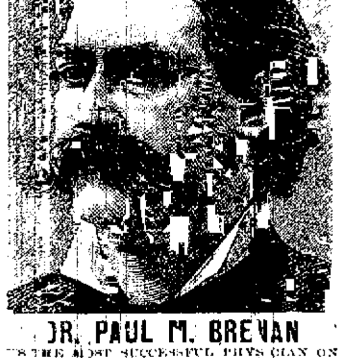

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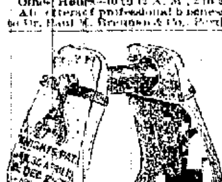

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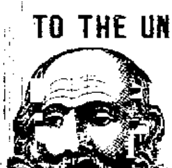

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